

HELP US ANSWER.

We remain a little mixed on the cause of results of the late election. We call on our friends to help answer. How about it gentlemen, the following letter has been received from the managing editor of the New York Post:

November 16, 1908.

O. B. Weaver, Editor of the Evening News.

Dear Sir: In view of the general belief that the crushing democratic defeat calls for new leadership of the party, with new policies, or fresh application of old ones, the Evening Post desires to elicit the opinion of influential democrats on the course to be pursued.

(1.) Should an effort at once be made to put the organization of the party in abler hands?

(2.) With the whole question of tariff revision certain to come up in congress not later than March, should not special zeal be shown in uniting the democratic minority for a vigorous

fight in defence of the low tariff views of the party? Could there be a better way of preparing for the congressional elections of 1910?

(3.) In what way can the election of democratic governors in Ohio, Indiana, and Minnesota be utilized to infuse new spirit into the party, and show it how to win popular support?

(4.) What other suggestions can be made, as both true lessons of the defeat, and hints for a constructive plan that shall compel success?

The Evening Post hopes that you will contribute to the views which it aims to collect and publish.

Respectfully,
MANAGING EDITOR.

Death of Oldest Woman.

Bartlesville, Okla., Nov. 20.—Maudie Wahoney, aged 109, the oldest woman in Oklahoma and oldest member of the Delaware tribe, died here Wednesday while she was smoking a pipe in her cabin. She will be buried tomorrow with tribal ceremonies.

DEADLY EXPLOSION.

New York, Nov. 20.—Twenty-five persons are believed to have lost their lives in an explosion of gas which tore up a great section of Gold street, Brooklyn, today. It is definitely known that fifteen persons were buried under the hundreds of tons of earth and timber that were thrown into the air by the explosion, and ten more persons are reported as missing. The exact number of dead can not be determined until tomorrow, for those working to recover the entombed bodies must dig through fifty feet of rock and a tangle of pipes and timbers. The explosion occurred in a fifty-foot deep excavation that had been made in Gold street between York and Front streets, where a water main was being laid. The gas main sprung a leak and in a manner unknown a spark came in contact with escaping gas today. Immediately there was a terrific explosion that lifted the surface of the street for half a block in both directions and hurled dirt, paving stones and debris into the air.

HORSE STEALING.

OL. HUDSON IS IN JAIL IN DEFAULT OF \$1,750 BAIL, CHARGED WITH CRIME.

In Justice Brown's court yesterday evening, Ol Hudson was committed to jail in default of \$1,750 bail in two cases of horse stealing charged against him.

It appears that some time ago, Geo. Collins, of near Roff, lost four or five head of horses and mules, and later he found one of the mules in possession of Mart Mills at Wapamucka, who swore he bought the mule from Ol Hudson. Collins replevined his mule.

Some time later a horse was stolen in Pittsburg county, and when traced was found in the pasture of Ol Hudson's brother, near Fitzhugh.

Ol Hudson was found at the home of his brother and brought to Ada for trial on the charge of stealing the mule of Geo. Collins and the Pittsburg county horse.

In the preliminary trial before Esq. Brown, prosecuting Attorney Winbush and his deputy, J. W. Dean, representing the prosecution in case, resulting in Ol Hudson being bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$1,000 in one case and \$750 in the other, and up to this evening he has not made bail.

CHARGED WITH FLEEING BOY

One of the Street Concessioners Fined and Made to Refund.

F. J. Smith, who has been operating one of the concessions on the streets of Ada this week, was arrested by Chief of Police Culver, on complaint of a boy who claimed he had been fleeced out of \$11.

In the trial before Police Judge Powers, Smith was fined, and also made to refund to the boy the amount secured from him.

This was the first case of the kind this week, and it speaks well for the efficiency of our officers, as well as to the credit of those granted concessions, as only this one infraction has been reported of the several operating.

The crowds in the city this week have been orderly and very few disturbances, considering the unusual attractions and gaiety. Ada is assuming metropolitan airs in a very decorous manner.

Woodman Circle.

The Woodman Circle will entertain Mrs. Emma B. Manchester tonight at the court house. All members of the Woodmen Lodge and the Circle are invited to attend. Mrs. Manchester comes from Omaha, Neb., and is Supreme Guardian.

Phone the News any item of interest. Call for number 4.

FRUIT AND TRUCK FARMING.

A reporter of the News met this morning, G. A. Tallant, of Oklahoma Nurseries, Oklahoma City, who was returning home from a business trip through Pontotoc county.

Mr. Tallant was loud in his praise of this immediate section for the successful growing of fruits, berries and grapes. He says that there is no better soil in Oklahoma, for this profitable growth and he expects to see fruit and truck farms dot the hills and valleys contingent to Ada.

Mr. Tallant says that the fruit and truck grower in this section would have two markets to which he could ship. The early products would find a ready market north, before the season arrived there for them, and the later growth could be sent south, where their supply would be exhausted. He has made a practicable demonstration that this can be done where he lives, near Oklahoma City.

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Fell From Building and Killed.

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 20.—Kenyon Davidson, aged 19, a workman em-

ployed on the construction of the temporary state capitol building being erected here by citizens of Guthrie, died of injuries received in falling from the roof of the building to the stone steps beneath, fracturing his skull. Davidson was a tinner by trade.

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The short social visit of W. R. Hearst to President Roosevelt has put many of the wise acres guessing, and it is wondered what will come of it. The landing of Hearst into the Republican party might not be a bad guess, and where it appears he belongs.

The Kansas City high school girls are in trouble. The lockers provided for their hats and coats are too small to hold their hats. Now what are the poor girls to do?—Denison Herald.

And if the size of their "heads" are not reduced, how are all of the girls going to find room for themselves in the school building?

The bringing of corn by wagon loads into Ada, interspersed with the many heaped with cotton, shows better than to have it all of the latter. Now, if there will be more wagon containing hogs, chickens and eggs brought in, and then in season fill them with fruits and vegetables, this county will indeed blossom as the proverbial rose.

In retaliation for the separate coach, the negroes are attempting to get the corporation commission to force the railroads to provide their color with separate dining and sleeping cars, and further to be exclusive, the negroes want the commission to prevent white people from going through the "jim crow" cars. This agitation is being worked up by "smart-alecky" negroes who are opposed to riding with their own color.

John D. Rockefeller has been child-like and bland as a witness, and told his story with an innocence that was calculated to hide the supposed hideousness of the standard oil octopus. He has also joked with the newspaper reporters and dilated on several things. And he was supposed to be so austere, consequently the public have been surprised. However, with it all, the facts gathered from Mr. Rockefeller show the adroit organization of a gigantic trust in the shape of the Standard Oil.

PRESS COMMENT.

Guthrie thinks she should have the permanent state capitol and as evidence of the justice of her claims proudly points to the fact that Logan county has elected a negro to the legislature.—Vinita Leader.

It is a good thing that, in the Thanksgiving season we are called upon first to feel thankful for what others received, and then for what

we received ourselves. This affords every one an opportunity to be thankful without regard to the bulk of the blessings.—Muskogee Times-Democrat.

Well, the Oklahoma legislature is democratic, and the state government is democratic. That's a cinch, and good government at home is something of which to be proud.—Bixby Bulletin.

The Dowager Empress of China is dead. Daughter of poverty, sold into slavery, given into concubinage, raised into wifehood and elevated to the headship of a nation of 300,000,000 souls, hers was a career without a parallel. Once more has history been made stranger than fiction.—Dallas News.

As was to be supposed, woman and whiskey caused the frightful slaughter of humans at Okmulgee a few days ago. In justice to the feminine gender, however, it must be admitted that a male mixed the two paramount causes for the bulk of crime.—Shawnee Herald.

NEW CROWD OF PIE DISPENSERS

Republican Leadership in Oklahoma Will Be Rearranged.

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 20.—Now that the election is over, there is a wild scramble on between Oklahoma republicans as to who will be proprietor of the state pie-counter in the matter of handing out the nice large quarters of pie that will be baked in the Taft political kitchen. The reign of "Rough Riderism" is over and Charlie Hunter will soon hie himself back to the cotton patch. Over the horizon now looms the smiling faces of National Committeeman Cash Cade, State Chairman Joe Norris, Judge C. W. Raymond of Muskogee, James A. Harris of Wagoner, Congressman Bird McGuire, C. E. Creager and Dick Morgan.

It's going to be a new deal all around and the wise ones say that Pliny Soper is to be supplanted by Judge Raymond in the eastern Oklahoma federal bake shop. The three republican congressmen-elect will dish out the postmaster soup but the desert—the nice, oozing slices of pie, with a bit of cheese on the side—will now be disturbed by Norris, Cade, Raymond, Harris and Company.

Horde already storming the pie dispensary and the days of John Abernathy, Grant Victor, L. G. Disney and R. P. Harrison will scarcely be spared the "running of another glass."

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The mixtures called baking powders that sell for ten or twenty-five cents a pound, or a cent an ounce, are all alike, made from alum and costing less than three cents a pound.

NO ROCKS IN THE COFFIN.

Some More About J. A. Evans—A Konawa Man Says He Helped Bury Him at Violet.

From Konawa Chief Leader:

The report that J. A. Evans did not die and was not buried and that rocks were interred for the body has caused much comment in Konawa, Evans having been well known in this city.

Denials of the report are made also, one being declared by J. L. Spaulding, a resident of Konawa. As soon as Spaulding read of the "mysterious mystery" he hunted up a Chief-Leader reporter to tell him what he knew of the affair. And, what he tells, he was certainly in a position to know.

Spaulding lived within a half mile of Evans at the time of the latter's death and lived there for four years. He states that Evans took sick one night in the spring of 1905 or 1906—he isn't certain which—at the home of his (Evans') son-in-law, Ratch Russell, on Little river. The next day, though ill, Evans assisted Russell in hoeing some corn, which work they wished to complete that day. That night, as well as Spaulding remembers Evans died at his son-in-law's home and was taken to his own home, which was 5 1-2 miles northeast of Konawa. From there the body was taken to Violet cemetery, two miles west of Konawa, and buried.

Spaulding says he knows Evans was buried then and there for he assisted in digging the grave, lowering the body into the grave and filling the grave. Before the body was interred he looked at it and recognized it as Evans. He also says his wife and daughter were at the Evans home while the corpse was there.

Another Denial.

The Chief-Leader Wednesday received a communication from T. L. Bridge of Vamoosa, who denies that J. A. Evans is alive. His statement follows:

"The statement that Jim Evans is living is not true, for I know he died in June 1905. I helped bury him at Violet and I opened his coffin at his home a mile and a half south-west of Vamoosa and it was Jim Evans in the coffin and not rocks. Will Taylor of Konawa, W. T. Archer of Vamoosa and myself went down on Little river where he died the next morning after he died and from there to his residence and from there to Violet and buried him."

Will Taylor, when seen by a Chief-Leader man, said that Mr. Bridge was correct in his statements.

DEVELOPMENT OF OKLAHOMA.

The hope for rapid development in this southwestern country is based largely on securing factories to consume the raw products. Capable of producing almost all of the cereals found in the north temperate zone, the making of the finished product on our own ground, by our own people; thus reaping whatever profit there is, can make Oklahoma the empire of all states west of the Missouri.

To secure the proper manufacturing concerns requires capitalistic investment not based on tremendous profits. The mills, and the wheels which make the raw materials into the finished products are as a rule started by home capital and, as they grow, are enlarged, until they event-

ually become the most important feature of many communities.

As an agricultural empire, Oklahoma has been introduced to the sister states, and her vast oil and gas deposits brought many small factories into that section, but the great majority of the territory still ships in seven-eighths of manufactured products. So long as that custom prevails, so long will we pay tribute to the mills of the older states and cities.

The work of the Oklahoma Geological Survey will do much to obviate these conditions. The members of the Survey Corps are hard at work investigating the mineral resources of the state. As soon as the reports now being written are published the people of Oklahoma will know what they actually have in the way of minerals. When this is done capital will come in, mines and quarries will be opened, factories and plants erected and the now dormant resources of the state will be developed.

Oklahoma has all to make life worth living, and the setting of factories in our cities and villages will make an era of prosperity undreamed of in the early days.—Oklahoman.

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to neglect your health. The worst neglect that you can be guilty of is to allow constipation, biliousness or any liver or bowel trouble to continue. It is poisoning your entire system and may lead to a serious chronic disease. Take Ballard's Herbine and get absolutely well. The sure cure for any and all troubles of the stomach, liver and bowels. Sold by G. M. Ramsey. 29-1m

MISS ARLINE HARBERT

Will Help Judge Galbraith in Important County Seat Contest in Jefferson County.

Judge Galbraith, who was selected by the supreme court of Oklahoma to preside as special judge in the very important county seat contest suit in Jefferson county between the cities of Ryan and Waurika, will depart Sunday on such judgeship mission. Notwithstanding applications abroad and at the capital, Judge Galbraith has appointed Miss Arline Harbert, a popular Ada young lady, as stenographer in the case, which, considering the importance and probable duration of the case, is quite a substantial and complimentary award.

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Yours for business,

McGraw & Pirtle, Props.

DISPENSARY SELLS.

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 20.—There will be no governor's proclamation on the five state questions submitted at the general election of Nov. 3 until canvass of the votes has been made in the proper way and according to law. This came out today following an opinion of Attorney General West, addressed to Gov. Haskell, in answer to the latter's question of how he should be officially advised of the result on the dispensary system. Attorney General West quotes the law, showing the votes of counties on the state questions shall be certified by the county clerks to the secretary of state, who, with the governor, shall canvass them. The canvass shall be made within thirty days after the election, and sooner if all the returns are received. The attorney general tells the governor that his official notice comes by reason of him being present at the canvass.

Up to this time the only returns made on the five state questions have been to the state election board and then by the county election boards. It is now held that such record is not official in light of the statute, and that the county clerks will have to be heard from before official cognizance of the returns may be taken. The thirty-day limit for the canvass expires Dec. 3. Pending this it is understood the governor will not issue a proclamation declaring the results, and in the meantime it is understood status of the state dispensary is not altered. Upon application of a wholesale drug company this week the dispensary sold a limited quantity of alcohol and will continue to do so until it is officially closed.

At that time attorneys representing the wholesale drug trade will make application for a writ of mandamus from the Logan county district court. In this way the legality of the submission will be determined.

Among other things the governor's letter to the attorney general inquired if the dispensary question had been submitted in a legal manner. The attorney general does not answer this, saying it is a question for the courts to determine, unless it was absolutely necessary that the matter be determined as bearing upon the acts of a state officer, in which event the department might properly express itself.

A Broken Back.

That pain in your back caused by lumbago, stiff muscles or a strain is an easy thing to get rid of. Ballard's Snow Liniment cures rheumatism, lumbago, sore and stiff muscles, strains, sprains, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds and all aches and pains. You need a bottle in your house. Sold by G. M. Ramsey. 29-w-1mo

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Then watch it closely. And above all things don't let it suffer for any length of time with worms—that is fatal. If it's complexion gets yellow and pasty, get thin, suffers with flatulence give it White's Cream Vermifuge. The only cure that never fails and has no bad effects. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

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L. M. McRae, member of the McRae-Whiteside Hardware company, returned this morning from Hope, Ark., where he had been on a visit to relatives at his former home.

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PERSONAL COLUMN

J. M. Keltner went to Holdenville this morning.

Mrs. W. C. Moody returned from Durant this afternoon.

Miss Edna Pruett, of Stonewall, was in Ada today.

Miss Matthews, of Stonewall, was an Ada visitor today.

Miss Maud Rose returned to her home in Lehigh this morning.

Window glass, all sizes at Ramsey's 197dtf

Miss Ruby Baker is visiting friends in Roff.

Ham and cheese sandwiches served at Ramsey's fountain. Fresh all the time. 204dtf

Wess Hattor, of Fitzhugh, was in Ada today.

Jas. Mulder, of Roff, was in Ada today.

Ruching in all styles and assortment of colors just in.
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203d2t

Sam Stewart, of Roff, was in Ada today, en route from Oklahoma City.

W. H. Shackelford is reported quite ill today.

Ramsey's hot chocolates, dainty and delicious. 204dtf

W. S. Nelson, of Francis, was an Ada visitor today.

All the best hot drinks at Ramsey's. 204dtf

Mrs. M. G. Meadows, state deputy of the Woodmen Circle, came in this afternoon.

M. M. Saunders left this morning on the Frisco, for Okemah, where he will visit his son-in-law, J. J. Taylor.

Miss Janie Hill, of Sherman, Texas, arrived this morning on a visit to R. E. Blanks and family.

Mr. S. B. Williams, one of the News' good subscribers, was in town this Saturday.

Mrs. Emma B. Manchester, supreme guardian of the Woodmen Circle, came in from Fort Worth, Tex., this afternoon.

Mrs. Reginald Becket, from Dyersburg, Tenn., is visiting her brother, Virgil Hale.

Mr. Lon Allen, from Soper, Okla., will join his wife here Sunday for several days' visit with Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. A. H. Chapman.

Citizens of Ada who have friends or relatives visiting them, or when they go elsewhere on a visit, will confer a favor on the News by calling up No. 4 and phoning the information. dtf

Ramsey's perfect soda; always good. 204dtf

In harmony with other improvements, the Byrd and Warren hotels have been repainted, while the Chapman hotel has concrete sidewalks laid on both streets.

C. M. Chauncey, one of Ada's prominent wholesale grocery dealers, returned this morning from a visit to Sulphur. He reports that city dull, but most places are expected to appear that way when compared with Ada.

FINE POLAND CHINA HOGS.

This morning two fine specimens of Poland-China hogs, their combined weight being 700 pounds, were driven along Main street in Ada, and attracted much attention and favorable comment.

These fine hogs were raised by A. A. Bobbitt, of Ada, and one of them was bought by Charley Thomas and the other by Mr. Hemey.

The most excellent success in hog raising in this section, is another evidence of the varied advantages that are offered in any stock line. The mild climate and healthy surroundings are most favorable to hog raising and this industry is growing in extent and importance.

MRS. LASSATER ENTERTAINS.

For First Time the Lassater Modern Home Is Opened to 40 of Ada's Society Ladies.

For the first time since moving into her new home in Sunrise, Mrs. J. D. Lassater graciously received her host of friends. The occasion was to present her friend, Mrs. Chaney, to the Ada ladies and the reception was doubly pleasant by the meeting also of Mrs. Allen, a girlhood friend of Mrs. Lassater's, who is visiting Mrs. Andy Chapman, and arrived just in time for the party.

The spacious rooms in Mrs. Lassater's house needed nothing to add to their beauty in the way of decorations, but potted plants everywhere made the house all the heart could desire.

Mesdames. Meaders, Beck, Hope and Furman assisted the hostess during the reception, following which a pleasant hour was spent playing that very fascinating game of 42.

Mrs. Lassater served a delicious two-course luncheon to her forty guests, who left hoping this was only the first of many pleasant afternoons they would spend in the future with this charming hostess.

J. M. Hodges, Francis.

J. M. Hodges, a good farmer of the Francis district, advanced his subscription to the Weekly Saturday.

Mr. Hodges is much interested in seeing a more rapid development of the agricultural lands of the county, and in such regard declared that the farmers of his section were very favorably impressed with the published letter of Judge Terrell's, which pointed the way of the opportunity of the poor but industrious farmer to secure a home.

Jap. Copeland.

Hon. Jap Copeland was in town Saturday. He remarked that everything was quiet in the ex-metropolis, there being no deaths or marriages to report. Center has ginned more than a hundred bales of cotton to date, said Jap.

George P. Stonum.

The enterprising firm of Sprague Bros., whose business has begun to even reach beyond the confines of Pontotoc county, have not only a large and select stock of jewelry and curios, but as well a very superior equipment in late and approved machinery and appliances used in all classes of jewelers' work, such as watch making, engraving, gold plating, and especially for the optical department. To bring the business up to the highest standard, the Sprague Bros. declare that they shall only employ the most expert workmen in the different departments of the business. They consider they are fortunate in having secured the services of Mr. George Stonum, an expert and dependable watchmaker. Mr. Stonum will become a permanent citizen of Ada. He is already well and favorably known in this county. Mr. R. B. Faundleroy, experienced optician, has also been engaged in permanent position by the Sprague Bros. Read their advertisement.

CHAMBLESS-McKINLEY.

Sweethearts Ben and Fawn, Popular in Ada, Marry in Oklahoma City.

The Oklahoman reports the marriage of Mr. Ben K. McKinley and Miss Fawn Chambliss in Oklahoma City, Thursday, in the following item:

Oklahoma City Nov. 20.—"To evade the embarrassments of a home wedding, where their friends might be disposed to say playful things, Ben K. McKinley, 27, and Miss Fawn Chambliss, 18 and pretty, arrived in Oklahoma City yesterday, secured the necessary documents and were married. The ceremony took place at the home of Mrs. A. C. Thompson, 219 1-2 West Main street, with Rev. E. S. Ford, assistant pastor of White Temple Baptist church, officiating. "The groom is a farmer residing near Stratford, while the bride is the daughter of a farmer in the same vicinity."

The News accepts the Oklahoman's report that the parties named therein were married and that they are of the respective ages of 27 and 18, and that the bride is pretty but it does deny, withal, the honored and dignified calling that the groom is a farmer and that the bride is a daughter of a farmer near Stratford.

The bride is the daughter of Tom Chambliss, for several years one of the leaders in the general commercial and moral progress of this city, and who at present is the leading business citizen of the prosperous town of Stratford.

The Ada public will be interested in this marriage, for both the bride and groom resided in Ada during the years of their best development, and in every essential manner which could afford insight into character and quality of mind, established an enviable reputation.

Miss Fawn, the bride, was ever a dear, lovable girl, and her host of Ada friends would be severely displeased, if they could not be gratified in the knowledge that she had mated with one of the leading, more dependable young citizens of this section.

Mr. Ben McKinley is generally regarded as a young man of substantial promise and a courteous, modest gentleman.

It is presumed that Mr. and Mrs. McKinley will continue to reside at Stratford, where the groom enjoys a lucrative position in the business of the father of the bride, Tom Chambliss.

Finest line of ladies' fancy collars we have ever shown. They are beauties.
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Mothers Meeting.

The Mother's club of the South Side will have a very important business meeting Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. W. C. Duncan, South Broadway. A full attendance is desired.

A Good Home.

I have a bargain in a fully completed four-room cottage dwelling plastered throughout with front gallery and 8x16 back porch, situated on an acre of beautiful lots, with nice growth of shade trees located in South Side Addition. This property has a good cistern and barn for four head of stock. See O. B. Weaver, without delay at the News office. dtf

Sorosis.

Mrs. Sledge was hostess to Sorosis on their regular meeting day last Saturday afternoon. As usual, the attendance was good.

The all absorbing topic of interest being the delegates report of the Federation at Ardmore, the regular lesson was postponed until next meeting.

It was evident that our delegate, Mrs. Sledge, kept her eyes open, by the splendid report she gave.

This was augmented by a talk from Mrs. U. G. Phippen of Coweta. She touched on so many interesting features of the amalgamation of the Oklahoma and Indian Territory Federations. Sorosis was especially pleased to have with them Mrs. Phippen. She organized the club, is now an honorary member, and expresses her love for Sorosis in no uncertain terms. She has been prominent in the Indian Territory Federation of Clubs, is now chairman of the reciprocity committee.

Miss Thompson gave a vocal selection in her usual charming manner. After adjournment, Mrs. Sledge, assisted by Miss Alpha and Miss Annie May Sims, served delicious refreshments. PRESS REPORTER.

Watches at Warrens.

When your clock stops call up Warren at phone 10. We will call for it, repair and return it in good shape. Guaranteed for one year for \$1.00.

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LOST—One pointer pup, about 4 or 5 months old. Finder please return to News office and receive big reward. dtf

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Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School 3 p. m.
Junior League 4 p. m.
Senior League 6:30 p. m.
C. C. BARNHARDT, Pastor.

The Presbyterian Church.

The theme of the sermon at 11 a. m. will be, "Christ's Constraining Love." At 7:30 p. m. it will be, "Christian Watchfulness." The Sunshine society will meet at 2:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. A cordial welcome is extended to those who desire to attend these services. The Session will meet for consultation just before the morning services.

J. D. WHITE, Pastor.

First Methodist Church.

Sunday school 10 a. m. Rev. W. M. Wilson, the new pastor, will preach at the usual hours, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Junior and Intermediate leagues at 3 p. m., and Senior league at 6:30 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

Satin covered buttons, all colors, both in the ring and plain, also satin and velvet ribbons, all colors and widths at W. N. Guest. 196dtf

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Are readily cured by ZEMO, a clean liquid for external use. ZEMO draws the germs and their toxins to the surface and destroys them, leaving a clean, healthy skin. ZEMO gives instant relief and permanently cures every form of skin or scalp disease. For sale everywhere. Write for sample, E. W. Rose Medicine Co., St. Louis. Sold by Gwinn-Mays & Co.



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Intermediate League.

The subject for the League Sunday afternoon is, "City Mission Work," and the following is the program being prepared:

Song and prayer service.
"Missionary Work in the City"—Miss Maurine Truitt, leader.
"Day Nursery and Kindergarten"—Miss Leone Steed.
"Play Ground and Recreation Center"—Miss Leona Chauncey.
"Night School"—Miss Pearl Fain.
"Co-operative Homes"—Glen Hardin.
"House to House Visitation"—Miss Emma Ligon.
"Child Labor"—Miss Helen Lee.
Recitation—Miss Ruby Gay.

The Preacher's Notice.

The Rev. T. L. Rippey, as he was leaving for his new pastorate at Muskogee this morning, requested the News to state that if there were any personal accounts, all presumably

he may have overlooked in the usual hurry of the change of residence of a Methodist minister, that he would return to Ada Thursday week and settle. Please notify Dr. Rippey at Muskogee.

How is Your Digestion.

Mrs. Mary Dowling of No. 228 8th Ave., San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble. She says: "Gratitude for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters in a case of acute indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that for stomach and liver troubles Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market today." This great tonic and alternative medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female weakness. 50c at F. Z. Holley and G. M. Ramsey drug stores. 291mo

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The Howard Stock Co.

AT THE Opera House

was greeted by the largest house of the week last night when they played "The James Boys in Missouri." Both play and players more than pleased and the different climaxes were generously applauded. Tonight closes the company's engagement and they have reserved one of their most pleasing bills for the closing night.

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The following is the list of the Indian lands, the names of the allottee thereof, and the Interior department agent under whose direction sale is made, offered to the highest and best bidder:

INDIAN LAND SALE.

Public notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the following allotted lands will be received at the office of S. A. Mills, District Agent, Atoka, Oklahoma, until 2 p. m. on the date hereinafter fixed, when such bids will be publicly opened at such place:

Bids for the following to be opened on December 19, 1908:

Case No. 926—Jeannie Nelson, Choctaw: E 1-2 of SW 1-4, and E 1-2 of SW 1-4 of Section 32, Township 2 north, Range 10 east, 100 acres. Located near Owl, Coal county.

Case No. 1433—John Wilkin, Choctaw: NW 1-4 of NE 1-4 of Section 32, Township 2 north, Range 9 east, 40 acres. Located near Owl, Coal county.

Case No. 459—Taylor Durant, Choctaw: W 1-2 of NE 1-4 of SW 1-4 and W 1-2 of SW 1-4 and SE 1-4 of SW 1-4 of Section 20, Township 1 north, Range 10 east, 140 acres. Located near Coalgate, Coal county.

Case No. 462—Anderson King, Choctaw: E 1-2 of SE 1-4 and S 1-2 of SW 1-4 of SE 1-4 of Section 11, Township 3 north, Range 11 east, 100 acres. Located near Legal, Coal county.

Case No. 1346—John Lewis, Miss. Choctaw: SW 1-4 of NE 1-4 and SE 1-4 of NW 1-4 of Section 6, Township 4 south, Range 11 east, 80 acres. Located near Caney, Atoka county.

All of the above to be sold for cash. Ten per cent of the amount offered must accompany each bid in the form of a bank draft or certified check, payable to the United States Indian agent, Union Agency, the remainder of purchase price to be paid within ten days of receipt of notice of acceptance of bid.

Bid should be mailed or presented to the District Agent at the address given, and must be enclosed in a separate envelope on which must be written, "Bid for Indian Land," and date to be opened must be endorsed upon the envelope.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

DANA H. KELSEY,

United States Indian Agent,

Union Agency, Muskogee, Oklahoma, Nov. 11, 1908.

Increased Congressional Delegation.

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 20.—Congressman "Jim" Davenport of Vinita, defeated recently for re-election in the Third Oklahoma district by Charles E. Creager, republican, of Muskogee, says he will introduce a bill in congress this winter providing for the division of Oklahoma immediately into seven congressional districts, increasing the present number by two. The state has a population of 1,400,000 and is entitled to two more congressmen.

A TINY BABY

can't tell you in words what the trouble is; but if its complexion gets pasty, if it gets weaker and weaker, loses flesh and is cross and peevish, you can be certain that it has worms. Give it White's Cream Vermifuge, guaranteed harmless. Expels the worms and puts the baby in a healthy normal condition. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

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ROCKEFELLER ON CROSS FIRE

New York, Nov. 20.—For over five hours today John D. Rockefeller, witness for the defense in the government suit to dissolve the Standard Oil company, faced an unceasing fire of questions from the federal counsel, Frank B. Kellogg, and when adjournment was taken until Monday the head of the oil combine was still being cross-examined on the charges that the company, in its early days, accepted rebates to the disadvantage of its rivals. Mr. Rockefeller's cross examination will probably not be concluded until late Tuesday, as Mr. Kellogg made it known that he would inquire into every detail of the company's business from Rockefeller.

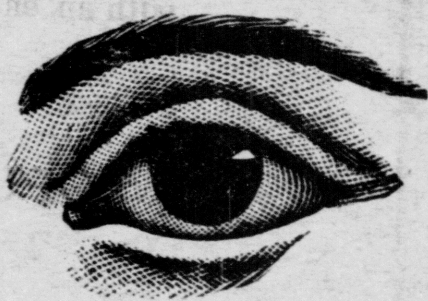
The enormous earning power of the oil combination was sharply brought out in today's hearing when Mr. Rockefeller, after stating that the Standard had paid dividends amounting to \$40,000,000 in 1907, said it had earned as much more. It was further stated by Mr. Kellogg that the company within the last eight years had earned nearly half a billion dollars.

The course of Mr. Rockefeller's testimony in the hands of the government counsel ran not so smoothly as on yesterday, when he told his story under the direction of friendly counsel, but the rapid-fire interrogations of the prosecutor were always met with unshaken perturbation and readiness to answer.

A Hair's Breadth Escape.

Do you know that every time you have a cough or cold and let it run on thinking it will just cure itself you are inviting pneumonia, consumption or some other pulmonary trouble? Don't risk it. Put your lungs back in perfect health and stop that cough with Ballard's Horehound Syrup.

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ABOUT ADVERTISING—NO. 8

The Cellar Hole and the Sewer Hole

By Herbert Kaufman.

A coal cart stopped before an office building in Washington and the driver dismounted, removed the cover from a manhole, ran out his chute, and proceeded to empty the load. An old negro strolled over and stood watching him. Suddenly the black man glanced down and immediately burst into a fit of uncontrollable laughter, which continued for several minutes. The cart driver looked at him in amusement. "Say, Uncle," he asked, "do you always laugh when you see coal going into a cellar?" The negro sputtered around for a few moments and then holding his hands to his aching sides managed to say, "No, sah, but I jest busts when I sees it goin' down a sewer."

The advertiser who displays lack of judgment in selecting the newspapers which carry his copy often confuses the sewer and the cellar.

All the money that is put into newspapers isn't taken out again by any means. The fact that all papers possess a certain physical likeness doesn't by any means signify a similarity in character, and it's character in a newspaper that brings returns. The editor who conducts a journalistic sewer finds a different class of readers than the publisher who respects himself enough to respect his readers.

What goes into a newspaper largely determines the class of homes into which the newspaper goes. An irresponsible, scandal-mongering, muck-raking sheet is logically not supported by the buying classes of people. It may be perused by thousands of readers, but such readers are seldom purchasers of advertised goods.

It's the clean-cut, steady, normal-minded citizens who form the bone and sinew and muscle of the community. It's the sane, self-respecting, dependable newspaper that enters their homes and it's the home sale that indicates the strength of an advertising medium.

No clean-minded father of a family wishes to have his wife and children brought in contact with the most maudlin and banal phases of life. He defends them from the sensational editor and the unpleasant advertiser. He subscribes to a newspaper which he does not fear to leave about the house.

Therefore, the respectable newspaper can always be counted upon to produce more sales than one which may even own a larger circulation but whose distribution is in ten editions among unprofitable citizens.

You can no more expect to sell goods to people who haven't money than you can hope to pluck oysters from bashes.

It isn't the number of readers reached but the number of readers whose purses can be reached that constitutes the value of circulation. It's one thing to arouse their attention, but it's a far different thing to get their money. The mind may be willing, but the pocketbook is weak.

If you had the choice of a thousand acres of desert land or a hundred acres of oasis, you'd select the fertile spot, realizing that the larger tract had less value because it would be less productive.

Just so the advertiser who really understands how he is spending his money does not measure by bulk alone. He counts productivity first. He takes care that he is not putting his money into a sewer.

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GOMPERS IN COMPLETE CONTROL

American Federation of Labor Re-Elect Old Officers.

Denver, Nov. 20.—There was at no time since the opening of the convention of the American Federation of Labor been any doubt that President Gompers was not in complete control, but it was thought possible that a part of his report might be materially amended or his political course condemned. The report was before the convention for a day and a half, and although for awhile there was a vigorous discussion of its contents, the report was adopted this afternoon and Mr. Gompers thereby fully endorsed.

Tomorrow at 10 o'clock the election of officers will be the special order of business. All the old officers will be re-elected, with the exception of Vice President Daniel Keefe, and even he may again be voted into office.

It is reported that the miners have decided to support Mr. Keefe for re-election, and they have the largest vote of any union in the convention. It is also reported that Mr. Gompers will not oppose Mr. Keefe, but this cannot be confirmed, as the president refuses to be interviewed on the subject.

BABES PITCHED FROM WINDOWS

Were Caught in Coats of Policemen as They Fell.

New York, Nov. 20.—Eleven children, including a babe in arms, were caught in the coats of policemen early today, after they had been hurled from windows by terrified mothers as fire raged in a tenement in South First street, Williamsburg. One boy, ten years of age perished. From the third floor a mother tossed her babe, which was caught by a policeman, unhurt. Ten other children were dropped into the coats which the reserves hastily slipped off. The cause of the fire was not learned.



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CONCERNING WIDOW MEN

The widow's mite has long been a favorite illustration of giving by a class of very small givers. The man with a beard, and with a rich farm, gives his nickel at a collection and classes himself with the widow of good gospel repute. What the good widow of the gospel narrative gave was a small sum. Our bearded widow man, who with such satisfaction, classes himself with the widows, finds solace in his meanness by the association of his nickel with the ancient widow's mite. "We can all give the widow's mite," has done sorry service on many an important occasion.

The whole case needs a new study, and from the Savior's standpoint. Let us note a few points in the gospel narrative, helpful to a right appreciation of the splendid example of the devout woman of the olden time.

We might start with a reflection or two on public giving. There is nothing in the Scripture to justify the belief that all giving is to be secret, but much of a contrary bearing. In giving alms to individuals, there is good reason why it should be unobtrusive. But the scriptures abundantly justify open, public giving. The giving of the widow, with others, on the same day was open, in a public place. We will not go far in our study of Bible giving in Old and in New Testament times without seeing that giving had a large place in public worship. We do err when this form of worship is relegated to the regions of the unknown.

Another deeply significant thing about the giving in the Temple was, that Jesus sat over against the treasury and kept an eye on the givers. He saw what they gave, and read their very hearts while they gave. You get close to people in their giving. You will see the man in his gift, if he acts freely. Some will give according to their "means" and some according to their "meanness." It was so in past pentecostal giving. Barnabas gave after the noble fashion of the poor widow, and Ananias after the manner of his meanness. It will go on in this way likely till time ends. But let us remember that always the omniscient Eye is on us. It is nowhere said that Jesus kept a particular eye on the shouters, or the singers, or even the preachers, but He watched the givers and scored a strong point on what He saw. Jesus judged the giving from the richest standpoint, not by what was given, but by what was left, and the condition of the givers. Many cast in much, but they had much left. The widow cast in all her living and had nothing left. Nor was that all by much. The poor widow was at a great disadvantage as to making more. A moneyless woman always was and always has been. A strong man giving his all would still have a marked advantage in making more. A man who gives the "widow's mite" belittles himself, and takes this instructive scripture by the wrong end. Very few things work well wrong end first. The widow men pervert the truth to cover their meanness. Among the Indians, men who shirk danger and skulk are called squaw men and are held in great contempt. What should be said of the widow men, who dodge all their financial obligations by hiding behind the skirts of the good woman who set the world its noblest example of giving. It is even worse for them because they make their

nobility cover their penuriousness. The widow men in the churches are a travesty on manhood and womanhood alike. They wear whiskers, and insist on being taken for men in every relation of life, till it comes to giving, and then they, in the name of a poor widow, disgrace all humanity, whereas the poor widow, by her nobility, dignified the race. There are many specimens of genuine meanness, but not one reaches the length of a widow man in that he disavows his manhood and disgraces the widows, the last class of people on earth a manly man would play off on.

It is a grave question to know what to do with the widow men in the churches. They are so deceiving it is hard to make any calculations on them. Some of them by a grievous mistake, have been made deacons. I have known some to be ordained preachers. To look at them, you would think they were men. They wore whiskers and pants. They trade and talk and chew tobacco like men. Some of them run large farms and stores. You would take them to be men and count on them to be men until you take a collection and all at once you discover that they are widows and very poor ones at that. They are very deceiving and unsatisfactory to the limit. On the principle that the sexes are required to wear garments of different sorts to designate them, it would seem that these widow men ought to dress in a way not to deceive the public. They might mix their garments and wear skirts over their trousers, or any other combination that would set them in a class to themselves, especially when they go to church. The suggestion is made for the public in general, and the church in particular.

J. B. GAMBRELL

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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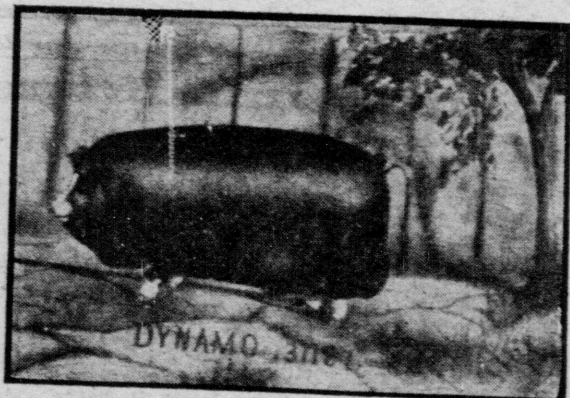
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HELP US ANSWER.

We remain a little mixed on the cause of results of the late election. We call on our friends to help answer. How about it gentlemen the following letter has been received from the managing editor of the New York Post:

November 16 1908

O B Weaver Editor of the Evening News

Dear Sir In view of the general belief that the crushing democratic defeat calls for new leadership of the party with new policies or fresh application of old ones the Evening Post desires to elicit the opinion of influential democrats on the course to be pursued.

(1) Should an effort at once be made to put the organization of the party in abler hands?

(2) With the whole question of tariff revision certain to come up in congress not later than March should not special zeal be shown in uniting the democratic minority for a vigor

ous fight in defence of the low tariff views of the party? Could there be a better way of preparing for the congressional elections of 1910?

(3) In what way can the election of democratic governors in Ohio Indiana and Minnesota be utilized to infuse new spirit into the party and show it how to win popular support?

(4) What other suggestions can be made as both true lessons of the defeat and hints for a constructive plan that shall compel success?

The Evening Post hopes that you will contribute to the views which it aims to collect and publish.

Respectfully,
MANAGING EDITOR

Death of Oldest Woman.

Bartlesville Okla Nov 20—Maude Wahoney aged 109 the oldest woman in Oklahoma and oldest member of the Delaware tribe died here Wednesday while she was smoking a pipe in her cabin. She will be buried tomorrow with tribal ceremonies.

DEADLY EXPLOSION.

New York Nov 20—Twelve persons are believed to have lost their lives in an explosion of gas which tore up a great section of Gold street Brooklyn today. It is definitely known that fifteen persons were buried under the hundreds of tons of earth and timber that were thrown into the air by the explosion and ten more persons are reported as missing. The exact number of dead can not be determined until tomorrow for those working to recover the entombed bodies must dig through fifty feet of rock and a tangle of pipes and timbers. The explosion occurred in a fifty-foot deep excavation that had been made in Gold street between York and Front streets where a water main was being laid. The gas main sprung a leak and in a manner unknown a spark came in contact with escaping gas to day. Immediately there was a terrific explosion that lifted the surface of the street for half a block in both directions and hurled dirt paving stones and debris into the air.

FRUIT AND TRUCK FARMING.

A reporter of the News met this morning G A Tallant of Oklahoma Nurseries Oklahoma City, who was returning home from a business trip through Pontotoc county.

Mr Tallant was loud in his praise of this immediate section for the successful growing of fruits berries and grapes. He says that there is no better soil in Oklahoma for this profitable growth and he expects to see fruit and truck farms dot the hills and valleys contingent to Ada.

Mr Tallant says that the fruit and truck grower in this section would have two markets to which he could ship. The early products would find a ready market north before the season arrived there for them and the later growth could be sent south where their supply would be exhausted. He has made a practicable demonstration that this can be done where he lives near Oklahoma City.

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I. HARRIS

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and he says that there is no better natural surroundings than at Ada for doing as well or better.

Fell From Building and Killed.

Guthrie Ok Nov 20—Kenyon Davidson, aged 11, a workman em-

ployed on the construction of the temporary state capitol building being erected here by citizens of Guthrie died of injuries received in falling from the roof of the building to the stone steps beneath fracturing his skull. Davidson was a tinner by trade.



FOR THE QUESTION.

If it is met with a yes you need a Diamond. We have the most beautiful selection ever brought to town. Rings studs brooches ear screws, and the prices are reasonable.

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Everything in Jewelry and Optical goods

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HORSE STEALING.

OL HUDSON IS IN JAIL IN DEFAULT OF \$1,750 BAIL, CHARGED WITH CRIME.

In Justice Brown's court yesterday evening Ol Hudson was committed to jail in default of \$1,750 bail in two cases of horse stealing charged against him.

It appears that some time ago Geo Collins of near Roff lost four or five head of horses and mules and later he found one of the mules in possession of Mart Mills at Wapamucka who swore he bought the mule from Ol Hudson. Collins replevined his mule.

Some time later a horse was stolen in Pittsburg county and when traced was found in the pasture of Ol Hudson's brother near Fitzhugh.

Ol Hudson was found at the home of his brother and brought to Ada for trial on the charge of stealing the mule of Geo Collins and the Pittsburg county horse.

In the preliminary trial before Esq Brown prosecuting Attorney Winbush and his deputy J W Dean representing the prosecution in case resulting in Ol Hudson being bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$1,000 in one case and \$750 in the other and up to this evening he has not made bail.

CHARGED WITH FLEEING BOY

One of the Street Concessioners Fined and Made to Refund.

F J Smith who has been operating one of the concessioners on the streets of Ada this week was arrested by Chief of Police Culver on complaint of a boy who claimed he had been fleeced out of \$11.

In the trial before Police Judge Powers Smith was fined and also made to refund to the boy the amount secured from him.

This was the first case of the kind this week and it speaks well for the efficiency of our officers as well as to the credit of those granted concessions as only this one infraction has been reported of the several operating.

The crowds in the city this week have been orderly and very few disturbances considering the unusual attractions and gaiety. Ada is assuming metropolitan airs in a very decorous manner.

Woodman Circle.

The Woodman Circle will entertain Mrs Emma B Manchester tonight at the court house. All members of the Woodmen Lodge and the Circle are invited to attend. Mrs Manchester comes from Omaha, Neb and is Supreme Guardian.

Phone—the News any item of interest. Call for number 4.

Thomas A. Edison's

latest and greatest invention, the new "Amberol Record," which plays 4 to 5 minutes instead of 2 minutes, as the Gold Moulded Records do.

He has also invented an attachment that can be placed on the old machines so that the new records can be played on them as well as the old. Bring your machine to us and we will put the new attachments on for you.

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One Estey Organ, used	was 110, now 30
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Small payment down and balance from \$3 to \$8 per month

Figure with the "agent," or "music teacher," then come and we will save you from \$25 to \$100. We handle no stencil goods.

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Let us show you now. Buy one of our many brands of SAFETY RAZORS. They insure a good shave a healthy skin and a saving in time.
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All Notices will be charged for except announcements for religious services. Copy for display ads must be in office by 2:00 p. m. If you fail to get your paper phone No. 4.

The short social visit of W. R. Hearst to President Roosevelt has put many of the wise across guessing, and it is wondered what will come of it. The landing of Hearst into the Republican party might not be a bad guess, and where it appears he belongs.

The Kansas City high school girls are in trouble. The lockers provided for their hats and coats are too small to hold their hats. Now what are the poor girls to do?—Denison Herald.

And if the size of their "heads" are not reduced, how are all of the girls going to find room for themselves in the school building?

The bringing of corn by wagon loads into Ada, interspersed with the many heaped with cotton, shows better than to have it all of the latter. Now, if there will be more wagon containing hogs, chickens and eggs brought in, and then in season fill them with fruits and vegetables, this country will indeed blossom as the proverbial rose

In retaliation for the separate coach, the negroes are attempting to get the corporation commission to force the railroads to provide their color with separate dining and sleeping cars, and further to be exclusive, the negroes want the commission to prevent white people from going through the "Jim Crow" cars. This agitation is being worked up by "smart-alecky" negroes who are opposed to riding with their own color.

John D. Rockefeller has been child-like and bland as a witness, and told his story with an innocence that was calculated to hide the supposed hideousness of the standard oil octopus. He has also joked with the newspaper reporters and dilated on several things. And he was supposed to be so austere, consequently the public have been surprised. However, with it all, the facts gathered from Mr. Rockefeller show the adroit organization of a gigantic trust, in the shape of the Standard Oil

PRESS COMMENT.

Guthrie thinks she should have the permanent state capitol and as evidence of the justice of her claims proudly points to the fact that Logan county has elected a negro to the legislature—Vinita Leader.

It is a good thing that in the Thanksgiving season we are called upon first to feel thankful for what others received, and then for what

we received ourselves. This affords every one an opportunity to be thankful without regard to the bulk of the blessings—Muskogee Times-Democrat.

Well, the Oklahoma legislature is democratic, and the state government is democratic. That's a cinch, and good government at home is something of which to be proud.—Bixby Bulletin.

The Dowager Empress of China is dead. Daughter of poverty, sold into slavery, given into concubinage, raised into wifehood and elevated to the headship of a nation of 300,000,000 souls, hers was a career without a parallel. Once more has history been made stranger than fiction.—Dallas News.

As was to be supposed, woman and whiskey caused the frightful slaughter of humans at Okmulgee a few days ago. In justice to the feminine gender, however, it must be admitted that a male mixed the two paramount causes for the bulk of crime.—Shawnee Herald.

NEW CROWD OF PIE DISPENSERS

Republican Leadership in Oklahoma Will Be Rearranged.

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 20—Now that the election is over, there is a wild scramble on between Oklahoma republicans as to who will be proprietor of the state pie-counter in the matter of handing out the nice large quarters of pie that will be baked in the Taft political kitchen. The reign of "Rough Riderism" is over and Charlie Hunter will soon tie himself back to the cotton patch. Over the horizon now looms the smiling faces of National Committeeman Cash Cade, State Chairman Joe Norris, Judge C. W. Raymond of Muskogee, James A. Harris of Wagoner, Congressman Bird McGuire, C. E. Creager and Dick Morgan.

It's going to be a new deal all around and the wise ones say that Pliny Super is to be supplanted by Judge Raymond in the eastern Oklahoma federal bake shop. The three republican congressmen-elect will dish out the postmaster soup but the desert—the nice, oozing slices of pie, with a bit of cheese on the side—will now be distributed by Norris, Cade, Raymond, Harris and Company. boide already storming the pie dispensary and the days of John Abernathy, Grant Violett, L. G. Disney and R. P. Harrison will scarcely be spared the "running of another glass"

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Made from cream of tartar derived solely from grapes, the most delicious and healthful of all fruit acids.

Its use is a guarantee of perfect food and a protection against the ills that follow the use of alum, alum-phosphate and other low grade powders.

The mixtures called baking powders that sell for ten or twenty-five cents a pound, or a cent an ounce, are all alike, made from alum and costing less than three cents a pound.

NO ROCKS IN THE COFFIN.

Some More About J. A. Evans—A Konawa Man Says He Helped Bury Him at Violet.

From Konawa Chief Leader: The report that J. A. Evans did not die and was not buried and that rocks were interred for the body has caused much comment in Konawa, Evans having been well known in this city.

Denials of the report are made also, one being declared by J. L. Spaulding, a resident of Konawa. As soon as Spaulding read of the "mysterious mystery" he hunted up a Chief-Reporter to tell him what he knew of the affair. And, what he tells, he was certainly in a position to know.

Spaulding lived within a half mile of Evans at the time of the latter's death and lived there for four years. He states that Evans took sick one night in the spring of 1905 or 1906—he isn't certain which—at the home of his (Evans') son-in-law, Hatch Russell, on Little river. The next day, though ill, Evans assisted Russell in hoeing some corn, which work they wished to complete that day. That night, as well as Spaulding remembers Evans died at his son-in-law's home and was taken to his own home, which was 3 1/2 miles northeast of Konawa. From there the body was taken to Violet cemetery, two miles west of Konawa, and buried.

Spaulding says he knows Evans was buried then and there, for he assisted in digging the grave, lowering the body into the grave and filling the grave. Before the body was interred he looked at it and recognized it as Evans. He also says his wife and daughter were at the Evans home while the corpse was there.

Another Denial.

The Chief-Reporter Wednesday received a communication from T. L. Bridge of Vamoosa, who denies that J. A. Evans is alive. His statement follows:

"The statement that Jim Evans is living is not true, for I know he died in June 1905. I helped bury him at Violet and I opened his coffin at his home a mile and a half southwest of Vamoosa and it was Jim Evans in the coffin and not rocks. Will Taylor of Konawa, W. T. Archer of Vamoosa and myself went down on Little river where he died the next morning after he died and from there to his residence and from there to Violet and buried him."

Will Taylor, when seen by a Chief-Reporter man, said that Mr. Bridge was correct in his statements.

DEVELOPMENT OF OKLAHOMA.

The hope for rapid development in this southwestern country is based largely on securing factories to consume the raw products. Capable of producing almost all of the cereals found in the north temperate zone, the making of the finished product on our own ground, by our own people; thus reaping whatever profit there is, can make Oklahoma the empire of all states west of the Missouri.

To secure the proper manufacturing concerns requires capitalistic investment not based on tremendous profits. The mills, and the wheels which make the raw materials into the finished products are as a rule started by home capital and, as they grow, are enlarged, until they event-

ually become the most important feature of many communities.

As an agricultural empire, Oklahoma has been introduced to the sister states, and her vast oil and gas deposits brought many small factories into that section, but the great majority of the territory still ships in seven-eighths of manufactured products. So long as that custom prevails, so long will we pay tribute to the mills of the older states and cities.

The work of the Oklahoma Geological Survey will do much to obviate these conditions. The members of the Survey Corps are hard at work investigating the mineral resources of the state. As soon as the reports now being written are published the people of Oklahoma will know what they actually have in the way of minerals. When this is done capital will come in, mines and quarries will be opened, factories and plants erected and the now dormant resources of the state will be developed.

Oklahoma has all to make life worth living, and the setting of factories in our cities and villages will make an era of prosperity undreamed of in the early days—Oklahoman.

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to neglect your health. The worst neglect that you can be guilty of is to allow constipation, biliousness or any liver or bowel trouble to continue. It is poisoning your entire system and may lead to a serious chronic disease. Take Ballard's Herbine and get absolutely well. The sure cure for any and all troubles of the stomach, liver and bowels. Sold by G. M. Ramsey 29-1m

MISS ARLINE HARRERT

Will Help Judge Galbraith in Important County Seat Contest in Jefferson County.

Judge Galbraith, who was selected by the supreme court of Oklahoma to preside as special judge in the very important county seat contest suit in Jefferson county between the cities of Ryan and Waurika, will depart Sunday on such judgeship mission. Notwithstanding applications abroad and at the capital, Judge Galbraith has appointed Miss Arline Harbert, a popular Ada young lady, as stenographer in the case, which, considering the importance and probable duration of the case, is quite a substantial and complimentary award.

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See our tailor at the Big 4 when you want cleaning and pressing done. He will save you money. Suits made to order. If you want a new suit let him show you our new samples. Come and see. Seeing is believing. For the next 10 days we will clean and press any kind of ladies' garment for 50c, skirt, long coat or short. If we damage your goods we will pay for them. The Big 4 is a nice place for ladies to go. The tailor's wife works in the shop with him.

Yours for business,

McGraw & Pirtle, Props.

DISPENSARY SELLS.

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 20—There will be no governor's proclamation on the five state questions submitted at the general election of Nov. 3 until canvass of the votes has been made in the proper way and according to law. This came out today following an opinion of Attorney General West, addressed to Gov. Haskell, in answer to the latter's question of how he should be officially advised of the result on the dispensary system. Attorney General West quotes the law, showing the votes of counties on the state questions shall be certified by the county clerks to the secretary of state, who, with the governor, shall canvass them. The canvass shall be made within thirty days after the election, and sooner if all the returns are received. The attorney general tells the governor that his official notice comes by reason of him being present at the canvass.

Up to this time the only returns made on the five state questions have been to the state election board and then by the county election boards. It is now held that such record is not official in light of the statute, and that the county clerks will have to be heard from before official cognizance of the returns may be taken. The thirty-day limit for the canvass expires Dec. 3. Pending this it is understood the governor will not issue a proclamation declaring the results, and in the meantime it is understood status of the state dispensary is not altered. Upon application of a wholesale drug company this week the dispensary sold a limited quantity of alcohol and will continue to do so until it is officially closed.

At that time attorneys representing the wholesale drug trade will make application for a writ of mandamus from the Logan county district court. In this way the legality of the submission will be determined.

Among other things the governor's letter to the attorney general inquired if the dispensary question had been submitted in a legal manner. The attorney general does not answer this, saying it is a question for the courts to determine, unless it was absolutely necessary that the matter be determined as bearing upon the acts of a state officer, in which event the department might properly express itself.

A Broken Back.

That pain in your back caused by lumbago, stiff muscles or a strain is an easy thing to get rid of. Ballard's Snow Liniment cures rheumatism, lumbago, sore and stiff muscles, strains, sprains, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds and all aches and pains. You need a bottle in your house. Sold by G. M. Ramsey. 29-w-1mo

Have You a Baby?

Then watch it closely. And above all things don't let it suffer for any length of time with worms—that is fatal. If its complexion gets yellow and pasty, get thin, suffers with flatulence give it White's Cream Vermifuge. The only cure that never fails and has no bad effects. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.

Free a \$1.00 Bottle Cu-Cura.

Hair tonic, a limited number. Ask J. E. Jones or Gwin-Mays Drug Co 201dft

L. M. McRae, member of the McRae-Whiteside Hardware company, returned this morning from Hops, Ark., where he had been on a visit to relatives at his former home.

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PERSONAL COLUMN

J. M. Keltner went to Holdenville this morning.

Mrs. W. C. Moody returned from Durant this afternoon.

Miss Edna Pruett, of Stonewall, was in Ada today.

Miss Matthews, of Stonewall, was an Ada visitor today.

Miss Maud Rose returned to her home in Lehigh this morning.

Window glass, all sizes at Ramsey's 197dft

Miss Ruby Baker is visiting friends in Roff.

Ham and cheese sandwiches served at Ramsey's fountain. Fresh all the time. 204dft

Weas Hattor, of Fitzhugh, was in Ada today.

Jas. Mulder, of Roff, was in Ada today.

Ruching in all styles and assortment of colors just in
COX-GREER-McDONALD CO
203d2t

Sam Stewart, of Roff, was in Ada today, en route from Oklahoma City.

W. H. Shackelford is reported quite ill today.

Ramsey's hot chocolates, dainty and delicious. 204dft

W. S. Nelson, of Francis, was an Ada visitor today.

All the best hot drinks at Ramsey's. 204dft

Mrs. M. G. Meadows, state deputy of the Woodmen Circle, came in this afternoon.

M. M. Saunders left this morning on the Frisco, for Okemah, where he will visit his son-in-law, J. J. Taylor.

Miss Janie Hill, of Sherman, Texas, arrived this morning on a visit to R. E. Blanks and family.

Mr. S. B. Williams, one of the News' good subscribers, was in town this Saturday.

Mrs. Emma B. Mauchester, supreme guardian of the Woodmen Circle, came in from Fort Worth, Tex., this afternoon.

Mrs. Reginald Becket, from Dyersburg, Tenn., is visiting her brother, Virgil Hale.

Mr. Lon Allen, from Soper, Okla., will join his wife here Sunday for several days' visit with Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. A. H. Chapman.

Citizens of Ada who have friends or relatives visiting them, or when they go elsewhere on a visit, will confer a favor on the News by calling up No. 4 and phoning the information. dft

Ramsey's perfect soda; always good. 204dft

In harmony with other improvements, the Byrd and Warren hotels have been repainted, while the Chapman hotel has concrete sidewalks laid on both streets.

C. M. Chauncey, one of Ada's prominent wholesale grocery dealers, returned this morning from a visit to Sulphur. He reports that city dull, but most places are expected to appear that way when compared with Ada.

FINE POLAND CHINA HOGS.

This morning two fine specimens of Poland-China hogs, their combined weight being 700 pounds, were driven along Main street in Ada, and attracted much attention and favorable comment.

These fine hogs were raised by A. A. Bobbitt, of Ada, and one of them was bought by Charley Thomas and the other by Mr. Hemeny.

The most excellent success in hog raising in this section, is another evidence of the varied advantages that are offered in any stock line. The mild climate and healthy surroundings are most favorable to hog raising and this industry is growing in extent and importance.

MRS. LASSATER ENTERTAINS.

For First Time the Lassater Modern Home Is Opened to 40 of Ada's Society Ladies.

For the first time since moving into her new home in Sprague, Mrs. J. D. Lassater graciously received her host of friends. The occasion was to present her friend, Mrs. Chaney, to the Ada ladies and the reception was doubly pleasant by the meeting also of Mrs. Allen, a girlhood friend of Mrs. Lassater's, who is visiting Mrs. Andy Chapman, and arrived just in time for the party.

The spacious rooms in Mrs. Lassater's house needed nothing to add to their beauty in the way of decorations but potted plants everywhere made the house all the heart could desire.

Madames Meaders, Beck, Hope and Furman assisted the hostess during the reception, following which a pleasant hour was spent playing that very fascinating game of 42.

Mrs. Lassater served a delicious two-course luncheon to her forty guests, who left hoping this was only the first of many pleasant afternoons they would spend in the future with this charming hostess.

J. M. Hodges, Francis.

J. M. Hodges, a good farmer of the Francis district, advanced his subscription to the Weekly Saturday.

Mr. Hodges is much interested in seeing a more rapid development of the agricultural lands of the county, and in such regard declared that the farmers of his section were very favorably impressed with the published letter of Judge Terrell's, which pointed the way of the opportunity of the poor but industrious farmer to secure a home.

Jap. Copeland.

Hon. Jap. Copeland was in town Saturday. He remarked that everything was quiet in the ex-metropolis, there being no deaths or marriages to report. Center has ginned more than a hundred bales of cotton to date, said Jap.

George P. Stoum.

The enterprising firm of Sprague Bros., whose business has begun to even reach beyond the confines of Pontotoc county, have not only a large and select stock of jewelry and curios, but as well a very superior equipment in late and approved machinery and appliances used in all classes of jewelers work, such as watch making, engraving, gold plating, and especially for the optical department. To bring the business up to the highest standard, the Sprague Bros. declare that they shall only employ the most expert workmen in the different departments of the business. They consider they are fortunate in having secured the services of Mr. George Stoum, an expert and dependable watchmaker. Mr. Stoum will become a permanent citizen of Ada. He is already well and favorably known in this county. Mr. R. B. Faundleroy, experienced optician, has also been engaged in permanent position by the Sprague Bros. Read their advertisement.

CHAMBLESS-McKINLEY.

Sweethearts Ben and Fawn, Popular in Ada, Marry in Oklahoma City.

The Oklahoman reports the marriage of Mr. Ben K. McKinley and Miss Fawn Chambliss in Oklahoma City, Thursday, in the following item:

Oklahoma City Nov. 20.—"To evade the embarrassments of a home wedding, where their friends might be disposed to say playful things, Ben K. McKinley, 27, and Miss Fawn Chambliss, 18 and pretty, arrived in Oklahoma City yesterday, secured the necessary documents and were married. The ceremony took place at the home of Mrs. A. C. Thompson, 219 1-2 West Main street, with Rev. E. S. Ford, assistant pastor of White Temple Baptist church, officiating. "The groom is a farmer residing near Stratford, while the bride is the daughter of a farmer in the same vicinity."

The News accepts the Oklahoman's report that the parties named therein were married and that they are of the respective ages of 27 and 18, and that the bride is pretty but it does deny, withal, the honored and dignified calling that the groom is a farmer and that the bride is a daughter of a farmer near Stratford.

The bride is the daughter of Tom Chambliss, for several years one of the leaders in the general commercial and moral progress of this city, and who at present is the leading business citizen of the prosperous town of Stratford.

The Ada public will be interested in this marriage, for both the bride and groom resided in Ada during the years of their best development, and in every essential manner which could afford insight into character and quality of mind, established an enviable reputation.

Miss Fawn, the bride, was ever a dear, lovable girl, and her host of Ada friends would be severely displeased, if they could not be gratified in the knowledge that she had mated with one of the leading, more dependable young citizens of this section.

Mr. Ben McKinley is generally regarded as a young man of substantial promise and a courteous, modest gentleman.

It is presumed that Mr. and Mrs. McKinley will continue to reside at Stratford, where the groom enjoys a lucrative position in the business of the father of the bride, Tom Chambliss.

Finest line of ladies' fancy collars we have ever shown. They are beauties.
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203d2t

Mothers Meeting.

The Mother's club of the South Side will have a very important business meeting Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. W. C. Duncan, South Broadway. A full attendance is desired.

A Good Home.

I have a bargain in a fully completed four-room cottage dwelling plastered throughout with front gallery and \$16 back porch, situated on an acre of beautiful lots, with nice growth of shade trees located in South Side Addition. This property has a good cistern and barn for four head of stock.

See O. B. Weaver, without delay at the News office. dft

Sorosis.

Mrs. Sledge was hostess to Sorosis on their regular meeting day last Saturday afternoon. As usual, the attendance was good.

The all absorbing topic of interest being the delegates report of the Federation at Ardmore, the regular lesson was postponed until next meeting.

It was evident that our delegate, Mrs. Sledge, kept her eyes open, by the splendid report she gave.

This was augmented by a talk from Mrs. U. G. Phippen of Coweta. She touched on so many interesting features of the amalgamation of the Oklahoma and Indian Territory Federations. Sorosis was especially pleased to have with them Mrs. Phippen. She organized the club, is now an honorary member, and expresses her love for Sorosis in no uncertain terms. She has been prominent in the Indian Territory Federation of Clubs, is now chairman of the reciprocity committee.

Miss Thompson gave a vocal selection in her usual charming manner.

After adjournment, Mrs. Sledge, assisted by Miss Alpha and Miss Annie May Sims, served delicious refreshments.

PRESS REPORTER.

Watches at Warrens.

When your clock stops call up Warren at phone 10. We will call for it, repair and return it in good shape. Guaranteed for one year for \$1.00.

WANTS.

WANTED—A respectable, second-hand farm wagon. Apply at the News office.

WANTED—Good reliable white woman to cook and do house work for small family. Write Box 88, Stonewall. 200d6t

LOST—One pointer pup, about 4 or 5 months old. Finder please return to News office and receive big reward. dft

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Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
Sunday School 3 p. m.
Junior League 4 p. m.
Senior League 6:30 p. m.
C. C. BARNHART, Pastor

The Presbyterian Church.

The theme of the sermon at 11 a. m. will be, "Christ's Constraining Love." At 7:30 p. m. it will be, "Christian Watchfulness." The Sunshine society will meet at 2:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. A cordial welcome is extended to those who desire to attend these services. The Session will meet for consultation just before the morning services.

J. D. WHITE, Pastor.

First Methodist Church.

Sunday school 10 a. m. Rev. W. M. Wilson, the new pastor, will preach at the usual hours, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Junior and Intermediate leagues at 3 p. m., and Senior league at 6:30 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

Satin covered buttons, all colors, both in the ring and plain, also satin and velvet ribbons, all colors and widths at W. N. Guest. 196dft

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Every woman loves to build for the future in the way of a beautiful home where she can enjoy domestic life and entertain her friends. We can help you secure that home by means of our easy payment plan. We have some choice property to offer you in Donaghey Addition.

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We respectfully solicit your patronage when desiring anything in the

Bread and Pastry Line

We guarantee cleanliness and first class service.

Knott Bros.

HOME ABSTRACT AND REAL

ESTATE COMPANY.

General Abstract, Loan and Real Estate Business. Agents American Surety Company.

Intermediate League.
The subject for the League Sunday afternoon is, "City Mission Work," and the following is the program being prepared:
Song and prayer service.
"Missionary Work in the City"—Miss Maurine Truitt, leader
"Day Nursery and Kindergarten"—Miss Leone Steed.
"Play Ground and Recreation Center"—Miss Leona Chauncey.
"Night School"—Miss Pearl Fain.
"Co-operative Homes"—Glen Hardin.
"House to House Visitation"—Miss Emma Ligon.
"Child Labor"—Miss Helen Lee.
Recitation—Miss Ruby Gay.

The Preacher's Notice.

The Rev. T. L. Rippey, as he was leaving for his new pastorate at Muskogee this morning, requested the News to state that if there were any personal accounts, all presumably

he may have overlooked in the usual hurry of the change of residence of a Methodist minister, that he would return to Ada Thursday week and settle. Please notify Dr. Rippey at Muskogee.

How Is Your Digestion.

Mrs. Mary Dowling of No. 228 8th Ave., San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble. She says: "Gratitude for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters in a case of acute indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that for stomach and liver troubles Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market today." This great tonic and alternative medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female weakness. 50c at F. Z. Holley and G. M. Ramsey drug stores. 231mo

Legal blanks of all kinds kept in stock at this office.

The Howard Stock Co.

AT THE

Opera House

was greeted by the largest house of the week last night when they played "The James Boys in Missouri." Both play and players more than pleased and the different climaxes were generously applauded. Tonight closes the company's engagement and they have reserved one of their most pleasing bills for the closing night.

"A Cowboy Gal"

with an entire change of specialties.

POPULAR PRICES
15, 25 and 35c

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We buy for cash and sell for cash and divide our profit with our customers

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The best biscuit flour
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The best cake flour

WAPCO is the name...

No need to worry about your baking if you use the perfect flour. Use Wapco Flour and forget your troubles.

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Manufacturers of

ICE

Wholesale and retail dealers in

COAL

We have the exclusive sale at Ada of the well known McDonald Deep Shaft Coal. We guarantee no Slack or dirt. Full weight, prompt delivery. Fancy clean lump, \$5.50 per ton in ton lots, delivered. Order now for October delivery. We also have on hand stock of blacksmith coal.

ADA ICE & FUEL CO.

We Fit the



CHAPMAN

THE SHOE MAN

BUY A FARM.

Opportunities for Safest Investment on Earth, and Which Affords Rich Interest Awards.

The following is the list of the Indian lands, the names of the allottee thereof, and the Interior department agent under whose direction sale is made, offered to the highest and best bidder:

INDIAN LAND SALE.

Public notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the following allotted lands will be received at the office of S. A. Mills, District Agent, Atoka, Oklahoma, until 2 p. m. on the date hereinafter fixed, when such bids will be publicly opened at such place:

Bids for the following to be opened on December 19 1908:

Case No. 926—Jennie Nelson, Choctaw: E 1-2 of SW 1-4, and E 1-2 of SW 1-4 of SW 1-4 of Section 32, Township 2 north, Range 10 east, 100 acres. Located near Owl, Coal county.

Case No. 1433—John Wilkin, Choctaw: NW 1-4 of NE 1-4 of Section 32, Township 2 north, Range 9 east, 40 acres. Located near Owl, Coal county.

Case No. 459—Taylor Durant, Choctaw: W 1-2 of NE 1-4 of SW 1-4 and W 1-2 of SW 1-4 and SE 1-4 of SW 1-4 of Section 20, Township 1 north, Range 10 east, 140 acres. Located near Coalgate, Coal county.

Case No. 462—Anderson King, Choctaw: E 1-2 of SE 1-4 and S 1-2 of SW 1-4 of SE 1-4 of Section 11, Township 3 north, Range 11 east, 100 acres. Located near Legal, Coal county.

Case No. 1346—John Lewis, Miss. Choctaw: SW 1-4 of NE 1-4 and SE 1-4 of NW 1-4 of Section 6, Township 4 south, Range 11 east, 80 acres. Located near Caney, Atoka county.

All of the above to be sold for cash. Ten per cent of the amount offered must accompany each bid in the form of a bank draft or certified check, payable to the United States Indian Agent, Union Agency, the remainder of purchase price to be paid within ten days of receipt of notice of acceptance of bid.

Bid should be mailed or presented to the District Agent at the address given, and must be enclosed in a separate envelope on which must be written, "Bid for Indian Land," and date to be opened must be endorsed upon the envelope.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

DANA H. KELSEY,
United States Indian Agent,
Union Agency, Muskogee, Oklahoma,
Nov. 11, 1908.

Increased Congressional Delegation.
Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 20.—Congressman "Jim" Davenport of Vinita, defeated recently for re-election in the Third Oklahoma district by Charles E. Creager, republican, of Muskogee, says he will introduce a bill in congress this winter providing for the division of Oklahoma immediately into seven congressional districts, increasing the present number by two. The state has a population of 1,400,000 and is entitled to two more congressmen.

A TINY BABY
can't tell you in words what the trouble is; but if its complexion gets pasty, if it gets weaker and weaker, loses flesh and is cross and peevish, you can be certain that it has worms. Give it White's Cream Vermifuge, guaranteed harmless. Expels the worms and puts the baby in a healthy normal condition. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.
29-1mo

ROCKEFELLER ON CROSS FIRE

New York, Nov. 20.—For over five hours today John D. Rockefeller, witness for the defense in the government suit to dissolve the Standard Oil company, faced an unceasing fire of questions from the federal counsel, Frank B. Kellogg, and when adjournment was taken until Monday the head of the oil combine was still being cross-examined on the charges that the company, in its early days, accepted rebates to the disadvantage of its rivals. Mr. Rockefeller's cross examination will probably not be concluded until late Tuesday, as Mr. Kellogg made it known that he would inquire into every detail of the company's business from Rockefeller.

The enormous earning power of the oil combination was sharply brought out in today's hearing when Mr. Rockefeller, after stating that the Standard had paid dividends amounting to \$40,000,000 in 1907, said it had earned as much more. It was further stated by Mr. Kellogg that the company within the last eight years had earned nearly half a billion dollars.

The course of Mr. Rockefeller's testimony in the hands of the government counsel ran not so smoothly as on yesterday, when he told his story under the direction of friendly counsel, but the rapid-fire interrogations of the prosecutor were always met with unshaken perturbation and readiness to answer.

A Hair's Breadth Escape.

Do you know that every time you have a cough or cold and let it run on thinking it will just cure itself you are inviting pneumonia, consumption or some other pulmonary trouble? Don't risk it. Put your lungs back in perfect health and stop that cough with Ballard's Horehound Syrup.

Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by G. M. Ramsey. 29-w-1mo



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Safe to US and safe to YOU

You know what you are getting before you PAY for it

No Other Profession Does That

EYES that never knew comfort before are made to work, and with no pain or discomfort.

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SPRAGUE BROS.

Ramsey's Drug Store

Ada, Okla.

ABOUT ADVERTISING—NO. 8

The Cellar Hole and the Sewer Hole

By Herbert Kaufman.

A coal cart stopped before an office building in Washington and the driver dismounted, removed the cover from a manhole, ran out his chute, and proceeded to empty the load. An old negro strolled over and stood watching him. Suddenly the black man glanced down and immediately burst into a fit of uncontrollable laughter, which continued for several minutes. The cart driver looked at him in amusement. "Say, Uncle," he asked, "do you always laugh when you see coal going into a cellar?" The negro sputtered around for a few moments and then holding his hands to his aching sides managed to say, "No, sah, but I jest busts when I sees it goin' down a sewer."

The advertiser who displays lack of judgment in selecting the newspapers which carry his copy often confuses the sewer and the cellar.

All the money that is put into newspapers isn't taken out again by any means. The fact that all papers possess a certain physical likeness doesn't by any means signify a similarity in character, and it's character in a newspaper that brings returns. The editor who conducts a journalistic sewer finds a different class of readers than the publisher who respects himself enough to respect his readers.

What goes into a newspaper largely determines the class of homes into which the newspaper goes. An irresponsible, scandal-mongering, ruck-raking sheet is logically not supported by the buying classes of people. It may be perused by thousands of readers, but such readers are seldom purchasers of advertised goods.

It's the clean-cut, steady, normal-minded citizens who form the bone and sinew and muscle of the community. It's the sane, self-respecting, dependable newspaper that enters their homes and it's the home sale that indicates the strength of an advertising medium.

No clean-minded father of a family wishes to have his wife and children brought in contact with the most maudlin and banal phrases of life. He defends them from the sensational editor and the unpleasant advertiser. He subscribes to a newspaper which he does not fear to leave about the house.

Therefore, the respectable newspaper can always be counted upon to produce more sales than one which may even own a larger circulation but whose distribution is in ten editions among unprofitable citizens.

You can no more expect to sell goods to people who haven't money than you can hope to pluck oysters from bushes.

It isn't the number of readers reached but the number of readers whose purses can be reached that constitutes the value of circulation. It's one thing to arouse their attention, but it's a far different thing to get their money. The mind may be willing, but the pocketbook is weak.

If you had the choice of a thousand acres of desert land or a hundred acres of oasis, you'd select the fertile spot, realizing that the larger tract had less value because it would be less productive.

Just so the advertiser who really understands how he is spending his money does not measure by bulk alone. He counts productivity first. He takes care that he is not putting his money into a sewer.

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GOMPERS IN COMPLETE CONTROL

American Federation of Labor Re-Elect Old Officers.

Denver, Nov. 20.—There was at no time since the opening of the convention of the American Federation of Labor been any doubt that President Gompers was not in complete control, but it was thought possible that a part of his report might be materially amended or his political course condemned. The report was before the convention for a day and a half, and although for awhile there was a vigorous discussion of its contents, the report was adopted this afternoon and Mr. Gompers thereby fully endorsed.

Tomorrow at 10 o'clock the election of officers will be the special order of business. All the old officers will be re-elected, with the exception of Vice President Daniel Keefe, and even he may again be voted into office.

It is reported that the miners have decided to support Mr. Keefe for re-election, and they have the largest vote of any union in the convention. It is also reported that Mr. Gompers will not oppose Mr. Keefe, but this cannot be confirmed, as the president refuses to be interviewed on the subject.

BABES PITCHED FROM WINDOWS

Were Caught in Coats of Policemen as They Fell.

New York, Nov. 20.—Eleven children, including a babe in arms, were caught in the coats of policemen early today, after they had been hurled from windows by terrified mothers as fire raged in a tenement in South First street, Williamsburg. One boy, ten years of age perished. From the third floor a mother tossed her babe, which was caught by a policeman, unhurt. Ten other children were dropped into the coats while their reserves hastily slipped off. The cause of the fire was not learned.



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Real Estate Farm Loans, Bonds Insurance

We Buy, Sell and Rent Farm and City Property

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South Main Street

CONCERNING WIDOW MEN

The widow's mite has long been a favorite illustration of giving by a class of very small givers. The man with a beard, and with a rich farm, gives his nickel at a collection and classes himself with the widow of good gospel repute. What the good widow of the gospel narrative gave was a small sum. Our bearded widow man, who with such satisfaction, classes himself with the widows, finds solace in his meanness by the association of his nickel with the ancient widow's mite. "We can all give the widow's mite," has done sorry service on many an important occasion.

The whole case needs a new study, and from the Savior's standpoint. Let us note a few points in the gospel narrative, helpful to a right appreciation of the splendid example of the devout woman of the olden time.

We might start with a reflection or two on public giving. There is nothing in the Scripture to justify the belief that all giving is to be secret, but much of a contrary bearing. In giving alms to individuals, there is good reason why it should be unobtrusive. But the scriptures abundantly justify open, public giving. The giving of the widow, with others, on the same day was open, in a public place. We will not go far in our study of Bible giving in Old and in New Testament times without seeing that giving had a large place in public worship. We do err when this form of worship is relegated to the regions of the unknown.

Another deeply significant thing about the giving in the Temple was, that Jesus sat over against the treasury and kept an eye on the givers. He saw what they gave, and read their very hearts while they gave. You get close to people in their giving. You will see the man in his gift, if he acts freely. Some will give according to their "means" and some according to their "meanness." It was so in past pentecostal giving. Barnabas gave after the noble fashion of the poor widow, and Ananias after the manner of his meanness. It will go on in this way likely till time ends. But let us remember that always the omniscient Eye is on us. It is nowhere said that Jesus kept a particular eye on the shouters, or the singers, or even the preachers, but He watched the givers and scored a strong point on what He saw. Jesus judged the giving from the richest standpoint, not by what was given, but by what was left, and the condition of the givers. Many cast in much, but they had much left. The widow cast in all her living and had nothing left. Nor was that all by much. The poor widow was at a great disadvantage as to making more. A moneyless woman always was and always has been. A strong man giving his all would still have a marked advantage in making more. A man who gives the "widow's mite" belittles himself, and takes this instructive scripture by the wrong end. Very few things work well wrong end first. The widow men pervert the truth to cover their meanness. Among the Indians, men who shrink danger and skulk are called squaw men and are held in great contempt. What should be said of the widow men, who dodge all their financial obligations by hiding behind the skirts of the good woman who set the world its noblest example of giving. It is even worse for them because they make their

nobility cover their penuriousness.

The widow men in the churches are a travesty on manhood and womanhood alike. They wear whiskers, and insist on being taken for men in every relation of life, till it comes to giving, and then they, in the name of a poor widow, disgrace all humanity, whereas the poor widow, by her nobility, dignified the race. There are many specimens of genuine meanness, but not one reaches the length of a widow man in that he disavows his manhood and disgraces the widows, the last class of people on earth a manly man would play off on.

It is a grave question to know what to do with the widow men in the churches. They are so deceiving it is hard to make any calculations on them. Some of them by a grievous mistake, have been made deacons. I have known some to be ordained preachers. To look at them, you would think they were men. They wore whiskers and pants. They traded and talk and chew tobacco like men. Some of them run large farms and stores. You would take them to be men and count on them to be men until you take a collection and all at once you discover that they are widows and very poor ones at that. They are very deceiving and unsatisfactory to the limit. On the principle that the sexes are required to wear garments of different sorts to designate them, it would seem that these widow men ought to dress in a way not to deceive the public. They might mix their garments and wear skirts over their trousers, or any other combination that would set them in a class to themselves, especially when they go to church. The suggestion is made for the public in general, and the church in particular.

J. B. GAMBRELL

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. 29d-w-1m

Read the pain formula on a box of Pink Pain Tablets. Then ask your doctor if there is a better one. Pain means congestion—blood pressure somewhere. Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets check head pains, womanly pains, pain anywhere. Try one, and see! 20 for 25c. Sold by G. M. Ramsey. 291mo

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In the Prescripton Department

of our pharmacy your doctor's recipe will be filled to the letter. We secure all the latest discoveries in drugs and medicines, and no substitution is ever made in a prescription. They are filled with the best of care, and mistakes are impossible in our methods. When you want prescriptions or family recipes compounded bring them to Jones. We deliver them without extra charge

J. E. JONES DRUG CO.

Phone 10

The Prescription Druggist

PUBLIC SALE OF POLAND CHINA SWINE AT ADA, OKLA., Tuesday, Dec. 15, 1908



On the above date I will sell at public auction about 30 head of bred sows and gilts and 10 spring boars.

I Furnish the Hogs . . . You Make the Price

Write for Catalogue. I tells all.

FRANK HUDDLESTON, Ada, Oklahoma

O. B. WEAVER PIONEER REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENCY.
 Buys and sells farm lands
 Buys, sells and rents city property
 Lots in Sunrise Addition at a bargain
 Correspondence solicited
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THE EVENING NEWS

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 Five thousand population. Three
 Railroads Million Dollar Cement
 Plant Cotton Compress. Cotton Seed
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 24 hours Street Paving and Sidewalk
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HELP US ANSWER.

We remain a little mixed on the cause of results of the late election. We call on our friends to help answer. How about it gentlemen the following letter has been received from the managing editor of the New York Post:

November 16 1908
 O. B. Weaver Editor of the Evening News

Dear Sir: In view of the general belief that the crushing democratic defeat calls for new leadership of the party with new policies or fresh application of old ones the Evening Post desires to elicit the opinion of influential democrats on the course to be pursued.

(1) Should an effort at once be made to put the organization of the party in able hands?

(2) With the whole question of tariff revision certain to come up in congress not later than March should not special zeal be shown in uniting the democratic minority for a vigor-

ous fight in defence of the low tariff views of the party? Could there be a better way of preparing for the congressional elections of 1910?

(3) In what way can the election of democratic governors in Ohio, Indiana and Minnesota be utilized to infuse new spirit into the party and show it how to win popular support?

(4) What other suggestions can be made as both true lessons of the defeat and hints for a constructive plan that shall compel success?

The Evening Post hopes that you will contribute to the views which it aims to collect and publish.

Respectfully,
 MANAGING EDITOR

Death of Oldest Woman.

Bartlesville Okla. Nov. 20.—Maude Wahoney aged 109 the oldest woman in Oklahoma and oldest member of the Delaware tribe died here Wednesday while she was smoking a pipe in her cabin. She will be buried tomorrow with tribal ceremonies.

POP THE QUESTION.

If it is met with a yes you need a Diamond. We have the most beautiful selection ever brought to town. Rings studs brooches ear screws and the prices are reasonable.

C. J. WARREN & CO.

Everything in Jewelry and Optical goods

next door to First National Bank



DEADLY EXPLOSION.

New York Nov. 20.—Two five persons are believed to have lost their lives in an explosion of gas which tore up a great section of Gold street Brooklyn today. It is definitely known that fifteen persons were buried under the hundreds of tons of earth and timber that were thrown into the air by the explosion and ten more persons are reported as missing. The exact number of dead can not be determined until tomorrow for those working to recover the entombed bodies must dig through fifty feet of rock and a tangle of pipes and timbers. The explosion occurred in a fifty-foot deep excavation that had been made in Gold street between York and Front streets where a water main was being laid. The gas main sprung a leak and in a manner unknown a spark came in contact with escaping gas to day. Immediately there was a terrific explosion that lifted the surface of the street for half a block in both directions and hurled dirt paving stones and debris into the air.

HORSE STEALING.

OL HUDSON IS IN JAIL IN DEFAULT OF \$1,750 BAIL, CHARGED WITH CRIME.

In Justice Brown's court yesterday evening Ol Hudson was committed to jail in default of \$1,750 bail in two cases of horse stealing charged against him.

It appears that some time ago Geo Collins of near Ruff lost four or five head of horses and mules and later he found one of the mules in possession of Mart Mills at Wapamucka who swore he bought the mule from Ol Hudson. Collins is pleased his mule.

Some time later a horse was stolen in Pittsburg county and when traced was found in the pasture of Ol Hudson's brother near Fitzhugh.

Ol Hudson was found at the home of his brother and brought to Ada for trial on the charge of stealing the mule from Geo Collins and the Pittsburg county horse.

In the preliminary trial before Esq. Brown prosecuting Attorney Winbush and his deputy J. W. Dean representing the prosecution in case resulting in Ol Hudson being bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$1,000 in one case and \$750 in the other and up to this evening he has not made bail.

CHARGED WITH FLEEING BOY.

One of the Street Concessioners Fined and Made to Refund.

F. J. Smith who has been operating one of the concessioners on the streets of Ada this week was arrested by Chief of Police Culver on complaint of a boy who claimed he had been fleeced out of \$11.

In the trial before Police Judge Powers Smith was fined and also made to refund to the boy the amount secured from him.

This was the first case of the kind this week and it speaks well for the efficiency of our officers as well as to the credit of those granted concessions as only this one infraction has been reported of the several operating.

The crowds in the city this week have been orderly and very few disturbances considering the unusual attractions and gaiety Ada is assuming metropolitan airs in a very decorous manner.

Woodman Circle.

The Woodman Circle will entertain Mrs. Emma B. Manchester tonight at the court house. All members of the Woodmen Lodge and the Circle are invited to attend. Mrs. Manchester comes from Omaha, Neb. and is Supreme Guardian.

Phone the News any item of interest. Call for number 4.

FRUIT AND TRUCK FARMING.

A reporter of the News met this morning G. A. Tallant of Oklahoma Nurseries Oklahoma City, who was returning home from a business trip through Pontotoc county.

Mr. Tallant was loud in his praise of this immediate section for the successful growing of fruits, berries and grapes. He says that there is no better soil in Oklahoma for this profitable growth and he expects to see fruit and truck farms dot the hills and valleys contingent to Ada.

Mr. Tallant says that the fruit and truck grower in this section would have two markets to which he could ship. The early products would find a ready market north before the season arrived there for them and the later growth could be sent south where their supply would be exhausted. He has made a practicable demonstration that this can be done where he lives near Oklahoma City.

Thomas A. Edison's

latest and greatest invention, the new "Amberol Record," which plays 4 to 5 minutes instead of 2 minutes, as the Gold Moulded Records do.

He has also invented an attachment that can be placed on his old machines so that the new records can be played on them as well as the old. Bring your machine to us and we will put the new attachments on for you.

We also have in stock his

New Machine

for playing both the old and new records

Price \$30

sold on easy payment plan. Always bear in mind that we will sell you EDISON Phonographs about

\$4 Cheaper

than the majority of mail order houses in Chicago and other places.

We also pay the express on all machines and records within a radius of 200 miles from Ada.

We carry in stock about

1000 Records

for you to select from. Come in and let us show you the new machines and attachments to put on your old machines. Also listen to the new Amberol Records. You will like them.

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After Something Good In Clothes?

The Best?

All you need to do to have it is to come here to us and say

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clothes; we'll do the rest. We'll set before you a great feast of good things, the finest clothes made; the best styles; the choicest foreign and domestic fabrics, the highest class of tailoring.

It will be worth as much to you to buy these clothes as it's worth to us to sell them; your profit's as good as ours.

I. HARRIS

Home of Hart, Schaffner & Marx Clothing

W. L. Douglas Shoes

J. B. Stetson Hats

and he says that there is no better natural surroundings than at Ada for doing as well or better.

Fell From Building and Killed.

Guthrie Ok. Nov. 20.—Kenyon Davidson, aged 18, a workman em-

ployed on the construction of the temporary state capitol building being erected here by citizens of Guthrie died of injuries received in falling from the roof of the building to the stone steps beneath fracturing his skull. Davidson was a tinner by trade.

Moved to East Main, 2d Door From P. O.

PIANOS -- ORGANS

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"THEREBY HANGS A TALE"

If you are thinking of buying a Musical Instrument we want to see you

Look over these prices, then come and look at the goods

One Story & Clark Piano new	was \$450, now \$310
One Hoffman, used	was 300, now 175
One Carlisle, used	was 350, now 225
One Howard, Strauch action, new	was 400, now 325
One Marshall & Wendall Cabinet Grand, new	was 400, now 255
One Estey Organ, used	was 110, now 30
One Elgin Organ, used	was 90, now 55
One Farrand Organ, used	was 85, now 50

Small payment down and balance from \$3 to \$8 per month

Figure with the "agent," or "music teacher," then come and we will save you from \$25 to \$100. We handle no stencil goods.

Matthews Music Co.

You Believe in Progress, DON'T YOU?

We can help you to it

Let us show you now. Buy one of our many brands of SAFETY RAZORS. They insure a good shave, a healthy skin and a saving in time.
 Eder's Safety Razor, \$1.00
 Keen Kutter " " 3.50
 Keen Kutter Traveler's Case, \$7.50
 Gillette " " 7.50
 Gillette, Ordinary " 5.00

Fine Christmas Things Use S.W. Paint

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Official City Paper



WEEKLY NEWS
Official County Paper

RATES AND RULES.

Local Readers per line 6c.
Local Readers per line black face 7c
All Notices will be charged for except announcements of religious services. Copy for display ads must be in office by 2:00 p. m. If you fail to get your paper phone No. 4.

The short social visit of W. R. Hearst to President Roosevelt has put many of the wise acres guessing, and it is wondered what will come of it. The landing of Hearst into the Republican party might not be a bad guess, and where it appears he belongs.

The Kansas City high school girls are in trouble. The lockers provided for their hats and coats are too small to hold their hats. Now what are the poor girls to do?—Denison Herald.

And if the size of their "heads" are not reduced, how are all of the girls going to find room for themselves in the school building?

The bringing of corn by wagon loads into Ada, interspersed with the many heaped with cotton, shows better than to have it all of the latter. Now, if there will be more wagon containing hogs, chickens and eggs brought in, and then in season fill them with fruits and vegetables, this county will indeed blossom as the proverbial rose.

In retaliation for the separate coach, the negroes are attempting to get the corporation commission to force the railroads to provide their color with separate dining and sleeping cars, and further to be exclusive, the negroes want the commission to prevent white people from going through the "jim crow" cars. This agitation is being worked up by "smart-alecky" negroes who are opposed to riding with their own color.

John D. Rockefeller has been child-like and blind as a witness, and told his story with an innocence that was calculated to hide the supposed hideousness of the standard oil octopus. He has also joked with the newspaper reporters and dilated on several things. And he was supposed to be so austere, consequently the public have been surprised. However, with it all, the facts gathered from Mr. Rockefeller show the adroit organization of a gigantic trust in the shape of the Standard Oil.

PRESS COMMENT.

Guthrie thinks she should have the permanent state capital and as evidence of the justice of her claims proudly points to the fact that Logan county has elected a negro to the legislature—Vinita Leader.

It is a good thing that in the Thanksgiving season we are called upon first to feel thankful for what others received, and then for what

we received ourselves. This affords every one an opportunity to be thankful without regard to the bulk of the blessings—Muskegee Times-Democrat.

Well, the Oklahoma legislature is democratic, and the state government is democratic. That's a cinch, and good government at home is something of which to be proud.—Bixby Bulletin.

The Dowager Empress of China is dead. Daughter of poverty, sold into slavery, given into concubinage, raised into wifehood and elevated to the headship of a nation of 300,000,000 souls, hers was a career without a parallel. Once more has history been made stranger than fiction.—Dallas News.

As was to be supposed, woman and whiskey caused the frightful slaughter of humans at Okmulgee a few days ago. In justice to the feminine gender, however, it must be admitted that a male mixed the two paramount causes for the bulk of crime.—Shawnee Herald.

NEW CROWD OF PIE DISPENSERS

Republican Leadership in Oklahoma Will Be Rearranged.

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 20—Now that the election is over, there is a wild scramble on between Oklahoma republicans as to who will be proprietor of the state pie-counter in the matter of handing out the nice large quarters of pie that will be baked in the Taft political kitchen.

The reign of "Rough Riderism" is over and Charlie Hunter will soon live himself back to the cotton patch. Over the horizon now looms the smiling faces of National Committeemen Cash Cade, State Chairman Joe Norris, Judge C. W. Raymond of Muskogee, James A. Harris of Wagoner, Congressman Bird McGuire, C. E. Creager and Dick Morgan.

It's going to be a new deal all around and the wise ones say that Pliny Soper is to be supplanted by Judge Raymond in the eastern Oklahoma federal bake shop. The three republican congressmen-elect will dish out the postmaster soup but the desert—the nice, oozing slices of pie, with a bit of cheese on the side—will now be disturbed by Norris, Cade, Raymond, Harris and Company.

Horde already storming the pie dispensary and the days of John Abernathy, Grant Victor, L. G. Disney and R. P. Harrison will scarcely be spared the "running of another glass."

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Its use is a guarantee of perfect food and a protection against the ills that follow the use of alum, alum-phosphate and other low grade powders.

The mixtures called baking powders that sell for ten or twenty-five cents a pound, or a cent an ounce, are all alike, made from alum and costing less than three cents a pound.

NO ROCKS IN THE COFFIN.

Some More About J. A. Evans—A Konawa Man Says He Helped Bury Him at Violet.

From Konawa Chief Leader:
The report that J. A. Evans did not die and was not buried and that rocks were interred for the body has caused much comment in Konawa, Evans having been well known in this city.

Denials of the report are made also, one being declared by J. L. Spaulding, a resident of Konawa. As soon as Spaulding read of the "mysterious mystery" he hunted up a Chief-Leader reporter to tell him what he knew of the affair. And, what he tells, he was certainly in a position to know.

Spaulding lived within a half mile of Evans at the time of the latter's death and lived there for four years. He states that Evans took sick one night in the spring of 1905 or 1906—he isn't certain which—at the home of his (Evans') son-in-law, Hatch Russell, on Little river. The next day, though ill, Evans assisted Russell in hoeing some corn, which work they wished to complete that day. That night, as well as Spaulding remembers Evans died at his son-in-law's home and was taken to his own home, which was 5 1-2 miles northeast of Konawa. From there the body was taken to Violet cemetery, two miles west of Konawa, and buried.

Spaulding says he knows Evans was buried then and there for he assisted in digging the grave, lowering the body into the grave and filling the grave. Before the body was interred he looked at it and recognized it as Evans. He also says his wife and daughter were at the Evans home while the corpse was there.

Another Denial.
The Chief-Leader Wednesday received a communication from T. L. Bridge of Vamoosa, who denies that J. A. Evans is alive. His statement follows:

"The statement that Jim Evans is living is not true, for I know he died in June 1905. I helped bury him at Violet and I opened his coffin at his home a mile and a half southwest of Vamoosa and it was Jim Evans in the coffin and not rocks. Will Taylor of Konawa, W. T. Archer of Vamoosa and myself went down on Little river where he died the next morning after he died and from there to his residence and from there to Violet and buried him."

Will Taylor, when seen by a Chief-Leader man, said that Mr. Bridge was correct in his statements.

DEVELOPMENT OF OKLAHOMA.

The hope for rapid development in this southwestern country is based largely on securing factories to consume the raw products. Capable of producing almost all of the cereals found in the north temperate zone, the making of the finished product on our own ground, by our own people; thus reaping whatever profit there is, can make Oklahoma the empire of all states west of the Missouri.

To secure the proper manufacturing concerns requires capitalistic investment not based on tremendous profits. The mills, and the wheels which make the raw materials into the finished products are as a rule started by home capital and, as they grow, are enlarged, until they event-

ually become the most important feature of many communities.

As an agricultural empire, Oklahoma has been introduced to the sister states, and her vast oil and gas deposits brought many small factories into that section, but the great majority of the territory still ships in seven-eighths of manufactured products. So long as that custom prevails, so long will we pay tribute to the mills of the older states and cities.

The work of the Oklahoma Geological Survey will do much to obviate these conditions. The members of the Survey Corps are hard at work investigating the mineral resources of the state. As soon as the reports now being written are published the people of Oklahoma will know what they actually have in the way of minerals. When this is done capital will come in, mines and quarries will be opened, factories and plants erected and the now dormant resources of the state will be developed.

Oklahoma has all to make life worth living, and the setting of factories in our cities and villages will make an era of prosperity undreamed of in the early days—Oklahoman.

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MISS ARLINE HARBERT

Will Help Judge Galbraith in Important County Seat Contest in Jefferson County.

Judge Galbraith, who was selected by the supreme court of Oklahoma to preside as special judge in the very important county seat contest suit in Jefferson county between the cities of Ryan and Waurika, will depart Sunday on such judgeship mission. Notwithstanding applications abroad and at the capital, Judge Galbraith has appointed Miss Arline Harbert, a popular Ada young lady, as stenographer in the case, which, considering the importance and probable duration of the case, is quite a substantial and complimentary award.

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Yours for business,

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DISPENSARY SELLS.

Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 20—There will be no governor's proclamation on the five state questions submitted at the general election of Nov. 3 until canvass of the votes has been made in the proper way and according to law. This came out today following an opinion of Attorney General West, addressed to Gov. Haskell, in answer to the latter's question of how he should be officially advised of the result on the dispensary system. Attorney General West quotes the law, showing the votes of counties on the state questions shall be certified by the county clerks to the secretary of state, who, with the governor, shall canvass them. The canvass shall be made within thirty days after the election, and sooner if all the returns are received. The attorney general tells the governor that his official notice comes by reason of him being present at the canvass.

Up to this time the only returns made on the five state questions have been to the state election board and then by the county election boards. It is now held that such record is not official in light of the statute, and that the county clerks will have to be heard from before official cognizance of the returns may be taken. The thirty-day limit for the canvass expires Dec. 3. Pending this it is understood the governor will not issue a proclamation declaring the results, and in the meantime it is understood status of the state dispensary is not altered. Upon application of a wholesale drug company this week the dispensary sold a limited quantity of alcohol and will continue to do so until it is officially closed.

At that time attorneys representing the wholesale drug trade will make application for a writ of mandamus from the Logan county district court. In this way the legality of the submission will be determined.

Among other things the governor's letter to the attorney general inquired if the dispensary question had been submitted in a legal manner. The attorney general does not answer this, saying it is a question for the courts to determine, unless it was absolutely necessary that the matter be determined as bearing upon the acts of a state officer, in which event the department might properly express itself.

A Broken Back.

That pain in your back caused by lumbago, stiff muscles or a strain is an easy thing to get rid of. Ballard's Snow Liniment cures rheumatism, lumbago, sore and stiff muscles, strains, sprains, cuts, bruises, burns, scalds and all aches and pains. You need a bottle in your house. Sold by G. M. Ramsey. 29-w-1mo

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L. M. McRae, member of the McRae-Whiteside Hardware company, returned this morning from Hope, Ark., where he had been on a visit to relatives at his former home.

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PERSONAL COLUMN

J. M. Keltner went to Holdenville this morning.

Mrs. W. C. Moody returned from Durant this afternoon.

Miss Edna Pruett, of Stonewall, was in Ada today.

Miss Matthews, of Stonewall, was an Ada visitor today.

Miss Maud Rose returned to her home in Lehigh this morning.

Window glass, all sizes at Ramsey's 197dtf

Miss Ruby Baker is visiting friends in Roff.

Ham and cheese sandwiches served at Ramsey's fountain. Fresh all the time. 204dtf

Wess Hattoi, of Fitzhugh, was in Ada today.

Jas. Mulder, of Roff, was in Ada today.

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Sam Stewart, of Roff, was in Ada today, en route from Oklahoma City.

W. H. Shackelford is reported quite ill today.

Ramsey's hot chocolates, dainty and delicious. 204dtf

W. S. Nelson, of Francis, was an Ada visitor today.

All the best hot drinks at Ramsey's. 204dtf

Mrs. M. G. Meadows, state deputy of the Woodmen Circle, came in this afternoon.

M. M. Saunders left this morning on the Frisco, for Okemah, where he will visit his son-in-law, J. J. Taylor.

Miss Janie Hill, of Sherman, Texas, arrived this morning on a visit to R. E. Blanks and family.

Mr. S. B. Williams, one of the News' good subscribers, was in town this Saturday.

Mrs. Emma B. Manchester, supreme guardian of the Woodmen Circle, came in from Fort Worth, Tex., this afternoon.

Mrs. Reginald Becket, from Dyersburg, Tenn., is visiting her brother, Virgil Hale.

Mr. Lon Allen, from Soper, Okla., will join his wife here Sunday for several days' visit with Mrs. Allen's sister, Mrs. A. H. Chapman.

Citizens of Ada who have friends or relatives visiting them, or when they go elsewhere on a visit, will confer a favor on the News by calling up No. 4 and phoning the information. dtf

Ramsey's perfect soda; always good. 204dtf

In harmony with other improvements, the Byrd and Warren hotels have been repainted, while the Chapman hotel has concrete sidewalks laid on both streets.

C. M. Chauncey, one of Ada's prominent wholesale grocery dealers, returned this morning from a visit to Sulphur. He reports that city dull, but most places are expected to appear that way when compared with Ada.

FINE POLAND CHINA HOGS.

This morning two fine specimens of Poland-China hogs, their combined weight being 700 pounds, were driven along Main street in Ada, and attracted much attention and favorable comment.

These fine hogs were raised by A. A. Bobbitt, of Ada, and one of them was bought by Charley Thomas and the other by Mr. Hemey.

The most excellent success in hog raising in this section, is another evidence of the varied advantages that are offered in any stock line. The mild climate and healthy surroundings are most favorable to hog raising and this industry is growing in extent and importance.

MRS. LASSATER ENTERTAINS.

For First Time the Lassater Modern Home Is Opened to 40 of Ada's Society Ladies.

For the first time since moving into her new home in Sunrise, Mrs. J. D. Lassater graciously received her host of friends. The occasion was to present her friend, Mrs. Chaney, to the Ada ladies and the reception was doubly pleasant by the meetin also of Mrs. Allen, a girlhood friend of Mrs. Lassater's, who is visiting Mrs. Andy Chapman, and arrived just in time for the party.

The spacious rooms in Mrs. Lassater's house needed nothing to add to their beauty in the way of decorations but potted plants everywhere made the house all the heart could desire.

Mesdames Meaders, Beck, Hope and Farman assisted the hostess during the reception, following which a pleasant hour was spent playing that very fascinating game of 42.

Mrs. Lassater served a delicious two-course luncheon to her forty guests, who left hoping this was only the first of many pleasant afternoons they would spend in the future with this charming hostess.

J. M. Hodges, Francis.

J. M. Hodges, a good farmer of the Francis district, advanced his subscription to the Weekly Saturday.

Mr. Hodges is much interested in seeing a more rapid development of the agricultural lands of the county, and in such regard declared that the farmers of his section were very favorably impressed with the published letter of Judge Terrell's, which pointed the way of the opportunity of the poor but industrious farmer to secure a home.

Jap. Copeland.

Hon Jap Copeland was in town Saturday. He remarked that everything was quiet in the ex-metropolis, there being no deaths or marriages to report. Center has gained more than a hundred bales of cotton to date, said Jap.

George P. Stoum.

The enterprising firm of Sprague Bros., whose business has begun to even reach beyond the confines of Pontotoc county, have not only a large and select stock of jewelry and curios, but as well a very superior equipment in late and approved machinery and appliances used in all classes of jewelers work, such as watch making, engraving, gold plating, and especially for the optical department. To bring the business up to the highest standard, the Sprague Bros. declare that they shall only employ the most expert workmen in the different departments of the business. They consider they are fortunate in having secured the services of Mr. George Stoum, an expert and dependable watchmaker. Mr. Stoum will become a permanent citizen of Ada. He is already well and favorably known in this county. Mr. R. B. Faundleroy, experienced optician, has also been engaged in permanent position by the Sprague Bros. Read their advertisement.

CHAMBLESS-McKINLEY.

Sweethearts Ben and Fawn, Popular in Ada, Marry in Oklahoma City.

The Oklahoman reports the marriage of Mr. Ben K. McKinley and Miss Fawn Chambliss in Oklahoma City, Thursday, in the following item:

Oklahoma City Nov. 20.—"To evade the embarrassments of a home wedding, where their friends might be disposed to say playful things, Ben K. McKinley, 27, and Miss Fawn Chambliss, 18 and pretty, arrived in Oklahoma City yesterday, secured the necessary documents and were married. The ceremony took place at the home of Mrs. A. C. Thompson, 219 1-2 West Main street, with Rev. E. S. Ford, assistant pastor of White Temple Baptist church, officiating. "The groom is a farmer residing near Stratford, while the bride is the daughter of a farmer in the same vicinity."

The News accepts the Oklahoman's report that the parties named therein were married and that they are of the respective ages of 27 and 18, and that the bride is pretty but it does deny, withal, the honored and dignified calling that the groom is a farmer and that the bride is a daughter of a farmer near Stratford.

The bride is the daughter of Tom Chambliss, for several years one of the leaders in the general commercial and moral progress of this city, and who at present is the leading business citizen of the prosperous town of Stratford.

The Ada public will be interested in this marriage, for both the bride and groom resided in Ada during the years of their best development, and in every essential manner which could afford insight into character and quality of mind, established an enviable reputation.

Miss Fawn, the bride, was ever a dear, lovable girl, and her host of Ada friends would be severely displeased, if they could not be gratified in the knowledge that she had mated with one of the leading, more dependable young citizens of this section.

Mr. Ben McKinley is generally regarded as a young man of substantial promise and a courteous, modest gentleman.

It is presumed that Mr. and Mrs. McKinley will continue to reside at Stratford, where the groom enjoys a lucrative position in the business of the father of the bride, Tom Chambliss.

Finest line of ladies' fancy collars we have ever shown They are beauties.
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Mothers Meeting.

The Mother's club of the South Side will have a very important business meeting Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Mrs. W. C. Duncan, South Broadway A full attendance is desired.

A Good Home.

I have a bargain in a fully completed four-room cottage dwelling plastered throughout with front gallery and 8x16 back porch, situated on an acre of beautiful lots, with nice growth of shade trees located in South Side Addition. This property has a good cistern and barn for four head of stock.

See O. B. Weaver, without delay at the News office dtf

Sorosis.

Mrs. Sledge was hostess to Sorosis on their regular meeting day last Saturday afternoon. As usual, the attendance was good.

The all absorbing topic of interest being the delegates report of the Federation at Ardmore, the regular lesson was postponed until next meeting.

It was evident that our delegate, Mrs. Sledge, kept her eyes open, by the splendid report she gave.

This was augmented by a talk from Mrs. U. G. Phippen of Coweta. She touched on so many interesting features of the amalgamation of the Oklahoma and Indian Territory Federations. Sorosis was especially pleased to have with them Mrs. Phippen. She organized the club, is now an honorary member, and expresses her love for Sorosis in no uncertain terms. She has been prominent in the Indian Territory Federation of Clubs, is now chairman of the reciprocity committee.

Miss Thompson gave a vocal selection in her usual charming manner.

After adjournment, Mrs. Sledge, assisted by Miss Alpha and Miss Annie May Sims, served delicious refreshments.
PRESS REPORTER.

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Sunday School 3 p. m.
Junior League 4 p. m.
Senior League 6:30 p. m.
C. C. BARNHARDT, Pastor

The Presbyterian Church.
The theme of the sermon at 11 a. m. will be, "Christ's Constraining Love." At 7:30 p. m. it will be, "Christian Watchfulness." The Sunshine society will meet at 2:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. A cordial welcome is extended to those who desire to attend these services. The Session will meet for consultation just before the morning services.
J. D. WHITE, Pastor.

First Methodist Church.
Sunday school 10 a. m. Rev. W. M. Wilson, the new pastor, will preach at the usual hours, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Junior and Intermediate leagues at 3 p. m., and Senior league at 6:30 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

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Intermediate League.

The subject for the League Sunday afternoon is, "City Mission Work," and the following is the program being prepared:

Song and prayer service.
"Missionary Work in the City"—Miss Maurine Truitt, leader
"Day Nursery and Kindergarten"—Miss Leone Steed.
"Play Ground and Recreation Center"—Miss Leona Chauncey.
"Night School"—Miss Pearl Fain.
"Co-operative Homes"—Glen Hardin.
"House to House Visitation"—Miss Emma Ligon.
"Child Labor"—Miss Helen Lee.
Recitation—Miss Ruby Gay.

The Preacher's Notice.

The Rev. T. L. Rippey, as he was leaving for his new pastorate at Muskogee this morning, requested the News to state that if there were any personal accounts, all presumably

he may have overlooked in the usual hurry of the change of residence of a Methodist minister, that he would return to Ada Thursday week and settle. Please notify Dr. Rippey at Muskogee.

How is Your Digestion.

Mrs. Mary Dowling of No. 228 8th Ave., San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble. She says: "Gratitude for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters in a case of acute indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that for stomach and liver troubles Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market today." This great tonic and alternative medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female weakness. 50c at F. Z. Holley and G. M. Ramsey drug stores. 291mo

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was greeted by the largest house of the week last night when they played "The James Boys in Missouri." Both play and players more than pleased and the different climaxes were generously applauded. Tonight closes the company's engagement and they have reserved one of their most pleasing bills for the closing night.

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INDIAN LAND SALE.

Public notice is hereby given that sealed bids for the following allotted lands will be received at the office of S. A. Mills, District Agent, Atoka, Oklahoma, until 2 p. m. on the date hereinafter fixed, when such bids will be publicly opened at such place:

Bids for the following to be opened on December 19 1908:

Case No. 926—Jeannie Nelson, Choctaw: E 1-2 of SW 1-4, and E 1-2 of SW 1-4 of Section 32, Township 2 north, Range 10 east, 100 acres. Located near Owl, Coal county.

Case No. 1433—John Wilkin, Choctaw: NW 1-4 of NE 1-4 of Section 26, Township 2 north, Range 9 east, 40 acres. Located near Owl, Coal county.

Case No. 459—Taylor Durant, Choctaw: W 1-2 of NE 1-4 of SW 1-4 and W 1-2 of SW 1-4 and SE 1-4 of SW 1-4 of Section 20, Township 1 north, Range 10 east, 140 acres. Located near Coalgate, Coal county.

Case No. 462—Anderson King, Choctaw: E 1-2 of SE 1-4 and S 1-2 of SW 1-4 of SE 1-4 of Section 11, Township 3 north, Range 11 east, 100 acres. Located near Legal, Coal county.

Case No. 1346—John Lewis, Miss. Choctaw: SW 1-4 of NE 1-4 and SE 1-4 of NW 1-4 of Section 6, Township 4 south, Range 11 east, 80 acres. Located near Caney, Atoka county.

All of the above to be sold for cash. Ten per cent of the amount offered must accompany each bid in the form of a bank draft or certified check, payable to the United States Indian agent, Union Agency, the remainder of purchase price to be paid within ten days of receipt of notice of acceptance of bid.

Bid should be mailed or presented to the District Agent at the address given, and must be enclosed in a separate envelope on which must be written, "Bid for Indian Land," and date to be opened must be endorsed upon the envelope.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

DANA H. KELSEY,
United States Indian Agent,
Union Agency, Muskogee, Oklahoma,
Nov. 11, 1908.

Increased Congressional Delegation.
Guthrie, Ok., Nov. 20.—Congressman "Jim" Davenport of Vinita, defeated recently for re-election in the Third Oklahoma district by Charles E. Creager, republican, of Muskogee, says he will introduce a bill in congress this winter providing for the division of Oklahoma immediately into seven congressional districts, increasing the present number by two. The state has a population of 1,400,000 and is entitled to two more congressmen.

A TINY BABY
can't tell you in words what the trouble is; but if its complexion gets pasty, if it gets weaker and weaker, loses flesh and is cross and peevish, you can be certain that it has worms. Give it White's Cream Vermifuge, guaranteed harmless. Expels the worms and puts the baby in a healthy normal condition. Sold by G. M. Ramsey.
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ROCKEFELLER ON CROSS FIRE

New York, Nov. 20.—For over five hours today John D. Rockefeller, witness for the defense in the government suit to dissolve the Standard Oil company, faced an unceasing fire of questions from the federal counsel, Frank B. Kellogg, and when adjournment was taken until Monday the head of the oil combine was still being cross-examined on the charges that the company, in its early days, accepted rebates to the disadvantage of its rivals. Mr. Rockefeller's cross examination will probably not be concluded until late Tuesday, as Mr. Kellogg made it known that he would inquire into every detail of the company's business from Rockefeller.

The enormous earning power of the oil combination was sharply brought out in today's hearing when Mr. Rockefeller, after stating that the Standard had paid dividends amounting to \$40,000,000 in 1907, said it had earned as much more. It was further stated by Mr. Kellogg that the company within the last eight years had earned nearly half a billion dollars.

The course of Mr. Rockefeller's testimony in the hands of the government counsel ran not so smoothly as on yesterday, when he told his story under the direction of friendly counsel, but the rapid-fire interrogations of the prosecutor were always met with unshaken perturbation and readiness to answer.

A Hair's Breadth Escape.

Do you know that every time you have a cough or cold and let it run on thinking it will just cure itself you are inviting pneumonia, consumption or some other pulmonary trouble? Don't risk it. Put your lungs back in perfect health and stop that cough with Ballard's Horehound Syrup.

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ABOUT ADVERTISING—NO. 8

The Cellar Hole and the Sewer Hole

By Herbert Kaufman.

A coal cart stopped before an office building in Washington and the driver dismounted, removed the cover from a manhole, ran out his chute, and proceeded to empty the load. An old negro strolled over and stood watching him. Suddenly the black man glanced down and immediately burst into a fit of uncontrollable laughter, which continued for several minutes. The cart driver looked at him in amusement. "Say, Uncle," he asked, "do you always laugh when you see coal going into a cellar?" The negro sputtered around for a few moments and then holding his hands to his aching sides managed to say, "No, sah, but I jest busts when I sees it goin' down a sewer."

The advertiser who displays lack of judgment in selecting the newspapers which carry his copy often confuses the sewer and the cellar.

All the money that is put into newspapers isn't taken out again by any means. The fact that all papers possess a certain physical likeness doesn't by any means signify a similarity in character, and it's character in a newspaper that brings returns. The editor who conducts a journalistic sewer finds a different class of readers than the publisher who respects himself enough to respect his readers.

What goes into a newspaper largely determines the class of homes into which the newspaper goes. An irresponsible, scandal-mongering, muck-raking sheet is logically not supported by the buying classes of people. It may be perused by thousands of readers, but such readers are seldom purchasers of advertised goods.

It's the clean-cut, steady, normal-minded citizens who form the bone and sinew and muscle of the community. It's the sane, self-respecting, dependable newspaper that enters their homes and it's the home sale that indicates the strength of an advertising medium.

No clean-minded father of a family wishes to have his wife and children brought in contact with the most maudlin and banal phases of life. He defends them from the sensational editor and the unpleasant advertiser. He subscribes to a newspaper which he does not fear to leave about the house.

Therefore, the respectable newspaper can always be counted upon to produce more sales than one which may even own a larger circulation but whose distribution is in ten editions among unprofitable citizens.

You can no more expect to sell goods to people who haven't money than you can hope to pluck oysters from bushes.

It isn't the number of readers reached but the number of readers whose purses can be reached that constitutes the value of circulation. It's one thing to arouse their attention, but it's a far different thing to get their money. The mind may be willing, but the pocketbook is weak.

If you had the choice of a thousand acres of desert land or a hundred acres of oasis, you'd select the fertile spot, realizing that the larger tract had less value because it would be less productive.

Just so the advertiser who really understands how he is spending his money does not measure by bulk alone. He counts productivity first. He takes care that he is not putting his money into a sewer.

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GOMPERS IN COMPLETE CONTROL

American Federation of Labor Re-Elect Old Officers.

Denver, Nov. 20.—There was at no time since the opening of the convention of the American Federation of Labor been any doubt that President Gompers was not in complete control, but it was thought possibly that a part of his report might be materially amended or his political course condemned. The report was before the convention for a day and a half, and although for awhile there was a vigorous discussion of its contents, the report was adopted this afternoon and Mr. Gompers thereby fully endorsed.

Tomorrow at 10 o'clock the election of officers will be the special order of business. All the old officers will be re-elected, with the exception of Vice President Daniel Keefe, and even he may again be voted into office.

It is reported that the miners have decided to support Mr. Keefe for re-election, and they have the largest vote of any union in the convention. It is also reported that Mr. Gompers will not oppose Mr. Keefe, but this cannot be confirmed, as the president refuses to be interviewed on the subject.

BADES PITCHED FROM WINDOWS

Were Caught in Coats of Policemen as They Fell.

New York, Nov. 20.—Eleven children, including a babe in arms, were caught in the coats of policemen early today, after they had been hurled from windows by terrified mothers as fire raged in a tenement in South First street, Williamsburg. One boy, ten years of age perished. From the third floor a mother tossed her babe, which was caught by a policeman, unhurt. Ten other children were dropped into the coats which the reserves hastily slipped off. The cause of the fire was not learned.



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The widow's mite has long been a favorite illustration of giving by a class of very small givers. The man with a beard, and with a rich farm, gives his nickel at a collection and classes himself with the widow of good gospel repute. What the good widow of the gospel narrative gave was a small sum. Our bearded widow man, who with such satisfaction, classes himself with the widows, finds solace in his meanness by the association of his nickel with the ancient widow's mite. "We can all give the widow's mite," has done sorry service on many an important occasion.

The whole case needs a new study, and from the Savior's standpoint. Let us note a few points in the gospel narrative, helpful to a right appreciation of the splendid example of the devout woman of the olden time.

We might start with a reflection or two on public giving. There is nothing in the Scripture to justify the belief that all giving is to be secret, but much of a contrary bearing. In giving alms to individuals, there is good reason why it should be unobtrusive. But the scriptures abundantly justify open, public giving. The giving of the widow, with others, on the same day was open, in a public place. We will not go far in our study of Bible giving in Old and in New Testament times without seeing that giving had a large place in public worship. We do err when this form of worship is relegated to the regions of the unknown.

Another deeply significant thing about the giving in the Temple was, that Jesus sat over against the treasury and keep an eye on the givers. He saw what they gave, and read their very hearts while they gave. You get close to people in their giving. You will see the man in his gift, if he acts freely. Some will give according to their "means" and some according to their "meanness." It was so in past pentecostal giving. Barnabas gave after the noble fashion of the poor widow, and Ananias after the manner of his meanness. It will go on in this way likely till time ends. But let us remember that always the omniscient Eye is on us. It is nowhere said that Jesus kept a particular eye on the shouters, or the singers, or even the preachers, but He watched the givers and scored a strong point on what He saw. Jesus judged the giving from the richest standpoint, not by what was given, but by what was left, and the condition of the givers. Many cast in much, but they had much left. The widow cast in all her living and had nothing left. Nor was that all by much. The poor widow was at a great disadvantage as to making more. A moneyless woman always was and always has been. A strong man giving his all would still have a marked advantage in making more. A man who gives the "widow's mite" belittles himself, and takes this instructive scripture by the wrong end. Very few things work well wrong end first. The widow men pervert the truth to cover their meanness. Among the Indians, men who shirk danger and skulk are called squaw men and are held in great contempt. What should be said of the widow men, who dodge all their financial obligations by hiding behind the skirts of the good woman who set the world its noblest example of giving. It is even worse for them because they make their

nobility cover their penuriousness.

The widow men in the churches are a travesty on manhood and womanhood alike. They wear whiskers, and insist on being taken for men in every relation of life, till it comes to giving, and then they, in the name of a poor widow, disgrace all humanity, whereas the poor widow, by her nobility, dignified the race. There are many specimens of genuine meanness, but not one reaches the length of a widow man in that he disavows his manhood and disgraces the widows, the last class of people on earth a manly man would play off on.

It is a grave question to know what to do with the widow men in the churches. They are so deceiving it is hard to make any calculations on them. Some of them by a grievous mistake, have been made deacons. I have known some to be ordained preachers. To look at them, you would think they were men. They wore whiskers and pants. They traded and talk and chew tobacco like men. Some of them run large farms and stores. You would take them to be men and count on them to be men until you take a collection and all at once you discover that they are widows and very poor ones at that. They are very deceiving and unsatisfactory to the limit. On the principle that the sexes are required to wear garments of different sorts to designate them, it would seem that these widow men ought to dress in a way not to deceive the public. They might mix their garments and wear skirts over their trousers, or any other combination that would set them in a class to themselves, especially when they go to church. The suggestion is made for the public in general, and the church in particular.

J. B. GAMBRELL

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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